

Gifts That Keep Giving

Finish each sentence with the correct Gift of the Holy Spirit. Some of the gifts may be used more than once.

reverence

wonder and awe

knowledge

understanding

courage

wisdom

right judgment

1. The gift of _____ makes you aware of God's plan for your life.
2. _____ is about respecting God, the environment, and others.
3. Turning to family, friends, clergy members, and loved ones for spiritual guidance is an example of _____.
4. _____ helps you to see from God's point of view and to identify the value of persons and things.
5. A person displaying _____ will stand up for his or her beliefs even if it means being unpopular.
6. Recognizing God's greatness and your dependence on him is to display _____.
7. _____ helps you recognize temptations and turn to God to help avoid them.
8. _____ helps you live by Jesus' example of principles and values.
9. Praying and reading Scripture allow the gift of _____ to grow.
10. _____ helps you to avoid judging things only by their appearance.

Sealed with the Gift of the Holy Spirit

At Confirmation we are sealed with the sevenfold Gifts of the Holy Spirit.

Read and reflect on the description of each of the seven Gifts of the Holy Spirit. Choose one of the Gifts. Write about or illustrate a situation in the three panels that shows how that gift might enable a young person to live their faith.

Wisdom
enables us to value God above all creatures and to make decisions based on that value.

Wonder and awe, or fear of the Lord enables us to acknowledge the greatness and power of God through our trust and obedience to God.

Reverence, or piety, enables us to honor and respect God and all people as children and images of God.

Understanding enables us to discover the meaning of our faith and to live according to its teachings.

Right judgment, or counsel, enables us to make practical decisions to live our faith.

Courage, or fortitude, enables us to overcome obstacles that stand in our way of loving God and others.

Knowledge enables us to see God reflected in all creatures and to praise him.