## St Rita Stewardship/Gift Assessment Tool 2009



# Who you are, is God's gift to you! Who you become is your gift to God!

## **Discernment of Spiritual Gifts**

#### Instructions

For each of the 60 questions which follow, <u>circle the number</u> that corresponds with your personal indicators number that most closely matches your intensity on the issue.

#### **SCORING GRID**

- 4 consistently true
- 3 frequently true
- 2 occasionally true
- 1 infrequently true
- 0 rarely true

#### My personal indicators regarding the various issues below are:

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1. <b>Goals</b> : When presented a goal, I immediately think of steps that need to be taken in order to achieve the desired results.	43210
2. Art Expression: I express myself through artistic means.	43210
3. <u>Faith Markers:</u> My faith requires me to seek out God's will and purpose in all circumstances that arise in my life.	43210
4. <b>Gospel:</b> I am able to convey the Gospel message to others in ways that they are able to easily understand.	43210
5. Faith Repair: I am moved by those who through conflict or sorrow are wavering in faith.	43210
6. <b>Spirituality:</b> The Spirit is present in my life and the lives of others.	43210
7. <b>Sharing the Fruit</b> : I am blessed by God each day and wish to share these blessings by synergizing other's with my time and treasure.	43210
8. Reaching Out: I enjoy meeting new people and becoming acquainted with them.	43210
9. Answers to Prayers: God hears and responds to my daily prayers.	43210

10. Bible/Faith: I am comfortable with learning more about the Bible/my faith.	43210
11 <u>Take Charge:</u> When others follow my direction, generally the goal or task will be completed in a positive manner.	43210
12. Help Empowerment: I am moved to assist persons in need.	43210
13. <b>Songs Inspiration:</b> Singing songs inspire listeners to more deeply-sense the moment.	43210
14. <b>Musical Instrument</b> playing helps me to find joy in amplifying the power of prayer.	43210
15. <b>Spiritual Leadership</b> helps to motivate those who are on a faith journey	43210
16. <b>Team Resource</b> : I like working behind the scenes to ensure projects are successful.	43210
17. <u>Trade/Skill</u> : I enjoy working in a trade or skill that requires considerable experience to perfect.	43210
18. <b>Scriptural Idea Transfer</b> : My great joy is to communicate teachings, doctrine and biblical phraseology in such a way that it becomes real and understood by others.	43210
19. Solutions: When a challenge is presented, I am usually able to identify an appropriate solution.	43210
20. <b>Communication:</b> I am able to take a thought or idea and communicate it into a clear and inspiring communication medium (Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIN, Written, etc)	43210
21. <u>Action Plan:</u> I enjoy organizing thoughts, ideas, hopes and dreams into a specific plan of action.	43210
22. Art Creation: I can translate into artistic form what I first see in my imagination.	43210
23. <u>Discernment:</u> I have assisted others as they sought to discern whether or not their personal decisions were helpful and in accord with God's will for their lives.	43210
24. <b>Evangelism:</b> I enjoy being with non-believers and like having the opportunity to encourage them to faith and commitment.	43210
25. <u>Support (Spiritual):</u> When I know someone is facing a crisis, I feel compelled to provide support and care	43210
26. <b>Spiritual Trust:</b> My trust in the Spirit's presence, when I encounter times of personal crisis, is a source of strength for others.	43210
27. Resource Management: I manage my time and money so that I am able to give much of it to the work of the church or other organizations.	43210
28. <u>Hospitality:</u> I am often asked to open my home for small group gatherings or social occasions.	43210
29. <b>Prayer Focused:</b> I often become so absorbed in my prayer life that the door bell or phone can ring and I will not hear it.	43210
30. <b>God Purposed:</b> Not one day would be complete without biblical study and thought.	43210
31. Charismatic: When I am in a group, others will often look to me for direction.	43210
32. <b>Share/Care:</b> I feel an urgency to provide housing for the homeless, food for the starving, comfort for those in distress.	43210
33. <b>Song Transcendence:</b> I have sung before groups and felt a real sense of God's presence.	43210
34. Instrumental Inspiration: Playing a musical instrument has inspired both me and others.	43210
35. <b>Spiritual Responsibility:</b> Experienced in providing spiritual guidance to individuals or groups.	43210
36. Pay It Forward: Have willingness to do unnoticed jobs to assist others in positive ways.	43210
37. Fix/Build: I am good at building, repairing, or restoring things and find satisfaction in doing so.	43210
38. Biblical Assist: I express my faith by assisting others to evaluate Biblical writing.	43210
39. Wise to Christ: People look to me to help them apply Christian faith and values to their personal situations.	43210

40. <b>Communicated Benefits:</b> I often feel moved to share my thoughts and feelings so others may benefit from them.	43210
41. Organizational Skill: I have been successful in organizing, directing and motivating people to achieve a goal.	43210
42. <b>Artful Empowerment:</b> My artistic work has given spiritual strength to both believer	
and non-believer.	43210
43. Parishioner Compass: I am often asked if a direction being discussed is in accord	<del> </del>
with God's will and purpose.	43210
44. <b>Jesus Empowered:</b> I do not find it difficult to share what Jesus means to me with	43210
non-believers.  45. <b>Life Guidance:</b> Those who are struggling with life questions come to me for	
guidance and help.	43210
46. <b>Perseverance/Belief:</b> I can see great things happening in my parish and am not	40040
derailed by the pessimism of others.	43210
47. <b>Gifting:</b> When I receive money unexpectedly, one of my first thoughts is to share	12210
this Gift through the church.	43210
48. Welcoming: I enjoy welcoming guests and helping them to feel at ease.	43210
49. Interceding: Those who have evidenced God's healing power have asked me to	43210
pray for healing in their lives.	43210
50. <b>Biblical Knowledge:</b> My study of the Bible has proven helpful to others in their faith	43210
journey.	
51. <b>Dependable:</b> People have said they like to work with me because the task will be successfully completed.	43210
52. Mercy for Others: People have been surprised by how at ease I am while working	
with those who are suffering in mind, body or spirit.	43210
53. <b>Songs of Hope:</b> I am grateful and humbled that my singing has provided inspiration	
and hope for others on their faith journey.	43210
54. <u>Instrumental Persuasion:</u> Others have told me they were moved by my playing a	40046
musical instrument.	43210
55. Relationship Power: People have come to me for spiritual help and it has	12210
developed into a long-term relationship.	43210
56. Facilitation: When I turn out the lights, take tables down, work in the kitchen or put	12210
chairs away, I feel that I have served the Lord.	43210
57. Fix/Build: My knowledge of building, maintenance or repair has been a special	43210
value to the church and others.	43210
58. <b>Teacher:</b> Students have told me that I can take the most difficult idea or concept	43210
and make it understandable.	<u> </u>
59. <b>Successful Thoughts:</b> When direction is needed at work or in the parish, I am generally asked for my opinion.	43210
60. <b>Communication Understanding:</b> My styles of communications have been helpful	
to others in understanding life's truths.	43210
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