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Five fold ministries of the Holy Spirit

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What are the Five fold ministries?

Ephesians 4:7-16

- *“But to each one of us grace has been given as Christ apportioned it.” v7*
- *“So Christ himself gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the pastors and teachers..” v11*



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God given gifts

1. Motivational
Romans 12:3-8
2. Spiritual
1 Corinthians 12:7-11
3. Ministry
Ephesians 4:11



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What is their purpose?

*“to equip his people for works of service, so that the body of Christ may be **built up** until we all reach unity in the faith and in the knowledge of the Son of God and become **mature**, attaining to the whole measure of the fullness of Christ.” v12-13*



Who are they?

- Called and chosen
Eph 4:11 'some'
Acts 11:22-26, 13:1-2, 16:6-7
- Gifted men and women
- Servants of the church
Eph 2:20 foundation, *"Are all apostles?
Are all prophets? Are all teachers? Do all
work miracles?"* 1 Cor 12:29



What do they do?

- Apostle: Gk *apostolos* sent one, ambassador, master builder 1 Cor 3:10
- Prophet: Gk *prophetes*, foreteller, inspired speaker
- Pastor: Gk *poimen*, shepherd: tends, feeds, rules the flock
- Teacher: Gk *didaskolos* instructor
- Evangelist: Gk *euaggelistes* preacher of gospel



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Five



Fold



Ministries





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Five fold ministries in practice

- Can you identify them?
- How are they working?
- Are they equally represented?
- What do we need more of?
- How effectively is the local church being equipped?