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# Tongues & Prophecy

1 Corinthians 14:1-25

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# Outline of 1 Corinthians

Chpt 1-4: Divisions over Leadership

Chpt 5: Sexual Immorality

Chpt 6: Conflict Resolution

Chpt 7: Singleness, Marriage,  
Divorce, & Remarriage

Chpt 8-10: Food Offered to Idols

Chpt 11: Orderly Worship

*Chpt 12-14: Loving Use of Spiritual Gifts*

Chpt 15: Resurrection Hope



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# Spiritual Gifts

Roles and abilities that God the Holy Spirit gives to people for the building up of the Church.

*Acts of Service – Administration – Evangelism*

*Exhorting – Faith – Giving – Interpretation of Tongues*

*Leading – Miracles – Prophecy – Teaching – Tongues*

Romans 12:6-8; 1 Corinthians 12:7-10, 28; Ephesians 4:11

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# Extraordinary Spiritual Gifts

Continuationist | Cessationist



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The diagram features a horizontal spectrum on a blue background. At the top, the text 'Extraordinary Spiritual Gifts' is centered in white. Below it, 'Continuationist' and 'Cessationist' are written in yellow, separated by a vertical dashed line. A blue double-headed arrow spans the distance between these two terms, with the text 'Peninsula Community Chapel' centered on it. Below this, a much longer yellow double-headed arrow spans the entire width of the diagram.



# Extraordinary Spiritual Gifts

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Hyper  
Charismatic

Doctrine  
Only

Peninsula Community Chapel



# Tongues

A form of prayer and praise that you express to God in a language you do not understand.

And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit gave them utterance.

Acts 2:4

Human Languages and/or Undiscernible Speech  
and/or Angelic Language?

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# Prophecy

Sharing a revelation from God that applies God's Word to a situation in ways that build up the church through encouragement, consolation, or conviction of sin.

This charge I entrust to you, Timothy, my child, in accordance with the prophecies previously made about you...

1 Timothy 1:18a

Do not despise prophecies, but test everything; hold fast what is good.

1 Thessalonians 5:20-21

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<sup>6</sup> Now, brothers, if I come to you speaking in tongues, how will I benefit you unless I bring you some revelation or knowledge or prophecy or teaching? <sup>7</sup> If even lifeless instruments, such as the flute or the harp, do not give distinct notes, how will anyone know what is played? <sup>8</sup> And if the bugle gives an indistinct sound, who will get ready for battle? <sup>9</sup> So with yourselves, if with your tongue you utter speech that is not intelligible, how will anyone know what is said? For you will be speaking into the air. <sup>10</sup> There are doubtless many different languages in the world, and none is without meaning, <sup>11</sup> but if I do not know the meaning of the language, I will be a foreigner to the speaker and the speaker a foreigner to me. <sup>12</sup> So with yourselves, since you are eager for manifestations of the Spirit, strive to excel in building up the church...

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<sup>13</sup> Therefore, one who speaks in a tongue should pray that he may interpret. <sup>14</sup> For if I pray in a tongue, my spirit prays but my mind is unfruitful. <sup>15</sup> What am I to do? I will pray with my spirit, but I will pray with my mind also; I will sing praise with my spirit, but I will sing with my mind also. <sup>16</sup> Otherwise, if you give thanks with your spirit, how can anyone in the position of an outsider say “Amen” to your thanksgiving when he does not know what you are saying? <sup>17</sup> For you may be giving thanks well enough, but the other person is not being built up. <sup>18</sup> I thank God that I speak in tongues more than all of you. <sup>19</sup> Nevertheless, in church I would rather speak five words with my mind in order to instruct others, than ten thousand words in a tongue...

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Pray

Earnestly desire spiritual gifts

Change the way we think about gathered  
worship and fellowship

Come eager to give

Come eager to receive

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