

## Theology Threads | Season 2: Episode 12 Notes | Is Your Church Diverse Enough?

### Summary

This week on Theology Threads, Dr. Brian Jenkins is joined by a new host, Drew Robertson to dive back into the topic of spiritual gifts! The state of the Corinthian Church gives Paul the opportunity to write some of his defining teaching on the gifts of the Holy Spirit like tongues, prophecy, teaching, and healing. Going hand in hand with this is Paul's teaching on diversity and unity in the Church. Make sure to check out our previous episodes in season 2 to follow along in the letter of 1st Corinthians, and how it mirrors the Church today. You can email us with questions at [hello@theothreads.com](mailto:hello@theothreads.com)

### Reflection Questions

Have you ever been in a church that is highly focused on spiritual gifts like tongues and prophetic words?

Have you sought out a particular spiritual gift and haven't received it? How did that make you feel? Does Dr. Brian's teach about the Spirit's sovereignty encourage you?

Do you feel like the church you are apart of is both diverse and unified?

If you could share one point from this episode with someone, what would it be and who would you share it with?

**For further learning connected to this episode, check out these resources.**

Watch season 1 episode 17 "Who is the Holy Spirit?"

<https://youtu.be/FrRF5X8LH2o?si=noi0H-5Loki3X72>

Watch our Q&A on the Holy Spirit

<https://youtu.be/CjVSuSIYZXI?si=9Gu00SBB75GGdeqs>

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ISBN: 9781493440023

Read *God's Empowering Presence: The Holy Spirit in the Letters of Paul* by Gordon Fee

ISBN: 9781598564327

Read *Gift and Giver: The Holy Spirit for Today* by Craig Keener

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