

# MY SERVING PROFILE

## Discover who you are!

The bible tells us that each of us has been created in the image of God. But we are all so incredibly different! We have each been created and designed, individually displaying how diverse and vast our God is! We want to take a deeper dive with one another to better understand the way that God has uniquely created YOU; not only to better impact God's kingdom, but also to help deepen your relationship with God.

**This document includes a series of assessments and spiritual growth tools to help you create your own personal profile.** Our hope is that you'll gain a clearer picture of who God created you to be and how He has wired you for Kingdom impact.

Please start with the **Enneagram, Spiritual Gifts, Love Languages,** and **Boundaries**. After completing these, you are welcome to work through any additional assessments that spark your interest.

Feel free to work at your own pace. You can come back to this site at any time.

**Make note of your results for each assessment tool.** You will need to write down your assessment results from each section and save them to share. In the final segment of this document, click on the link to the About Me Survey, and share your results. Be sure to hit "Send" when you are finished!

**After submitting your results through the *About Me Survey*, let your leader know so they can schedule a time to meet.** Your results will guide your conversation together and help them get to know you better.

# Wonderfully Made

your unique wiring + spiritual gifts

“I praise you because I am fearfully and wonderfully made,  
your works are wonderful, I know that full well.”

*Psalm 139:14 (New International Version)*

## Enneagram

The Enneagram is a powerful tool for personal and collective transformation. Stemming from the Greek words ennea (nine) and grammos (a written symbol), the nine-pointed Enneagram symbol represents nine distinct strategies for relating to yourself, to others, and to the world. Each Enneagram type has its own unique pattern of thinking, feeling, and acting that arises from a deeper inner motivation or worldview. Each type also reflects a distinct quality of Christlikeness. Learning about these patterns fosters a greater understanding of and compassion for yourself and others and helps us see how our relationship with Jesus accomplishes transformation in us.

[Your Enneagram Coach](#) (free assessment)

OR

[Riso-Hudson Enneagram Test](#) \$12 (20 min)

WCL [Enneagram Training Video](#) and [Slides](#) (optional)

## Spiritual Gifts

“From Him the whole body, joined and held together by every supporting ligament, grows and builds itself up in love, as each part does its work.”

*Ephesians 4:16 (New International Version)*

Did you know that you have been empowered with supernatural abilities called spiritual gifts? If you've trusted in Christ as the forgiver of your sins and leader of your life, then God's spirit, the Holy Spirit, resides in you, and the Holy Spirit has given you gifts to help you carry out God's plan.

Join the adventure as we discover our gifts and learn who God created us to be. Together, we can radiate the love of Christ while fulfilling our unique role in this world.

If you have not accepted Christ as your savior, please skip this assessment. It is intended to help you discern the particular gifts you will receive upon your salvation. If you'd like to learn more about Christianity, we suggest attending our [Alpha workshop](#) or contact Dawn, Guest Experience Pastor, [dszweda@willowcrystallake.org](mailto:dszweda@willowcrystallake.org) for our next Alpha workshop.

### [SPIRITUAL GIFTS ASSESSMENT](#) (20 min)

To learn more about Spiritual Gifts:

- [Click here](#) to watch a video about the difference between a spiritual gift and a natural talent.
- [Click here](#) to watch a video that discusses how our interests and passions work together with our spiritual gifts.
- [Click here](#) to read about spiritual gifts and their corresponding descriptions.
- Read through the [Frequently Asked Questions about Spiritual Gifts](#).
- Contact Dawn, Guest Experience Pastor, [dszweda@willowcrystallake.org](mailto:dszweda@willowcrystallake.org) for information on our next in-person Spiritual Gifts class.

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# Love

love languages + how you best connect to God

“Love is patient, love is kind.

It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud.

It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking,

it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs.

Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth.”

*1 Corinthians 13:4-8 (New International Version)*

## **Love Languages**

“In his #1 New York Times bestseller, *The 5 Love Languages®*, Dr. Gary Chapman presents a simple truth: relationships grow better when we understand each other. Everyone gives and receives love differently, but with a little insight into these differences, we can be confidently equipped to communicate love well.”<sup>1</sup>

[LOVE LANGUAGES ASSESSMENT](#) (5 min)

## **Sacred Pathways**

“Understanding the pathways that help you to connect with God and experience the presence of Christ is very helpful to your spiritual growth and your ministry to others. It’s a wonderful blessing ... to share our experiences with the Lord.”<sup>2</sup>

[SACRED PATHWAYS ASSESSMENT](#) (7-10 min)

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# Lead

strengths you bring to your team + how you're hard-wired

“When he had washed their feet and put on his outer garments and resumed his place, he said to them, “Do you understand what I have done to you? You call me Teacher and Lord, and you are right, for so I am. If I then, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also ought to wash one another's feet. For I have given you an example, that you also should do just as I have done to you.”

*John 13:12-15 (English Standard Version)*

“Traditional leadership generally involves the accumulation and exercise of power by one at the top of the pyramid. Servant leaders are different in that they share power, put the needs of others first, and help people develop and perform as highly as possible.”

*Donald Clark, Servant Leadership*

## **Boundaries**

A “boundary,” by definition, is anything that marks a limit. Boundaries can be emotional, psychological, energetic, or physical. Boundaries keep us safe and ensure our relationships are healthy.

[BOUNDARIES ASSESSMENT](#) (5 min)

## **Stand Out Team**

We each play an essential part in our teams. Discover the strengths you bring to your team.

[STAND OUT TEAM ASSESSMENT](#) (15 min)

After you click on the assessment link, click on Take the Standout Strengths Assessment (red box). You'll be asked for your name and email; you'll be emailed a CODE that is needed to take the assessment. At the bottom of the email, please click on I'm ready to take the StandOut strengths assessment! (blue box). Note: this requires that you share your email. You can opt-out of

future emails by scrolling to the bottom of the email with the code and clicking on unsubscribe.

## **Thinking Wavelength**

We each have a hard-wired “high-contribution zone.” We can measure this zone against where we are living today, which helps us to understand how aligned or disconnected we are to our sweet spot.

[THINKING WAVELENGTH ASSESSMENT](#) (5-10 min)

Watch the video on the left for an explanation, then watch the video on the right. There is a pdf to download for recording your results and reading more about your “sweet spot.” Note: you do not need to share your email to watch the videos or download the pdf.

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## **Shepherd**

discover the qualities of a good shepherd

“... The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. He who is a hired hand and not a shepherd, who does not own the sheep, sees the wolf coming and leaves the sheep and flees, and the wolf snatches them and scatters them.”

*John 10:11-12 (English Standard Version)*

The Ancient Israelites were a pastoral people, and there were many shepherds among them, so Jesus often used the metaphor of shepherding. Twice in the Gospel of John, Jesus states, “I am the good shepherd.” As a shepherd in your family, small group, and ministry, you are called to care for those entrusted to you.

There are four main components to shepherding:

- Feed: Lead them in spiritual truth and equip them with skills to feed themselves.

- Protect: Teach them to discern the difference between what is true and false.
- Lead: Guide them by living what you teach.
- Discipline: Lovingly confront and correct their mistakes.

### [BIBLICAL SHEPHERDING VIDEOS](#) (10 min)

You can watch the videos on your own or invite a friend to view them with you.

- Intro, 2:30 min
- Men's Small Group, 3:43 min
- Women's Small Group, 3:04 min

If you do not have access to RightNow Media, please email Dawn, Guest Experience Pastor, [dszweda@willowcrystallake.org](mailto:dszweda@willowcrystallake.org)

## About Me Survey | The Final Step

share your results

**SUBMIT** your results, [About Me Survey](#).

We hope you have gained valuable insight about yourself and have been encouraged in your faith journey.

If you'd like to explore these and other tools more, we have put together some optional [Extra Resources](#). Feel free to explore at your leisure!