

## *Preparing for elections in Sightseeing Road (SSR) Chapel*

All elected servants in SSR chapel represent Christ and His people and, thus, should believe in Christ alone for salvation, have a credible testimony in word and lifestyle and the relevant gifts for their particular area(s) of Christ's calling. Two biblical ways to affirm God's calling is by 1) the person's current godly service by relevant spiritual gifts and 2) popular nomination by His people.

Following are brief descriptions of spiritual gifts and the volunteer ministries. Please prepare for the chapel elections by studying both groups of descriptions and ask the Lord Jesus to open our hearts to nominate the servants He is calling.

### *Spiritual gifts (Romans 12, 1 Corinthians 12, 1 Timothy 3, 1 Peter 4)*

**A = Administration** (efficiently prioritizes, plans, organizes, communicates and manages team processes to achieve specific objectives for the good of Jesus' Body)

**E = Encouragement** (primarily focuses on and communicates God's blessings that result from believers' faith and obedience in all situations for the good of His Body)

**H = Hospitality** (sincerely promotes, welcomes, resources and maintains an environment for hurting guests to find rest and renewal for the good of His Body)

**L = Leadership** (effectively influences others by models the pastors' vision and directs, resources and motivates others to do the same for the good of His Body)

**M = Mercy** (sacrificially empathizes (hurting with those who hurt) and contributes to meet the practical physical or spiritual of others' needs for the good of His Body)

**S = Service** (gladly identifies and meets others' physical needs for the good of His Body)

**T = Teaching** (clearly explains and applies God's Word for the good of His Body)

**V = Evangelism** (effectively communicates and guides non-believers to see the Bible's teaching on sin, salvation and growth toward faith in Christ for the good of His Body)

**W = Wisdom** (humbly discerns God's Word and others' spirits and communicates truth and consequences toward greater faith and obedience for the good of His Body)

**AD = Active Duty Soldiers, Marines, DoD Civilians and dependants** strongly encouraged

**SK = Specialty skills** related to this position are needed for appropriate service

### *SSR volunteer ministries (gifts/skills primarily needed are underlined)*

- Note - names of most ministries are omitted to help us focus on their *function*.

Audio/Visual (S, SK)

Choir conductors (A, E, L, T, SK)

Dance instructors (M, T, W, AD, SK)

Events planners (logistics, decor) (A, H, S)

Group facilitators (A, E, H, L, W)

Marriage ministry (A, H, L, S, M, T, W, SK)

Instrumentalists (E, AD, SK)

In-reach (new converts) (E, H, S, T, W)

Out-reach (A, E, L, M, S, V, AD)

Parish council president (A, L, W)

Schedulers (A, E, S, W, AD)

Secretaries (A, S, W, AD, SK)

Singles ministry (A, E, H, S, W, SK)

Teachers – (A, E, H, T, W, AD)

Ushers/Greeters – (E, H, S, W)

Youth ministry (A, E, H, L, T, W, SK)