



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
R O C H E S T E R

Sermon Discussion Guide
February 11, 2024

Refresh

Read Ephesians 4:7-10 to get the Scripture passage back in your mind.

Discuss

How would you define a spiritual gift? What is the purpose of the spiritual gifts?

In what ways should God's dispensing of spiritual gifts to us change the way we live? Why do you think Christians are often unaware of their spiritual gifts? In what ways does this limit us in our effectiveness?

Why do spiritual gifts sometimes lead to pride among believers? How can we guard against this temptation in our lives?

Why does Paul quote Psalm 68 in verse 8? Why should this portion of the text be an encouragement for believers?

In what ways do verses 9-10 point to the deity of Christ? How does John 3:13 seem to support this?

What is Paul talking about when he writes of Jesus' descension in verses 9-10? How does His descension contrast His ascension?

How does the reality of Christ's descension change our lives today? How should it change our affection for Him?