



Growing in
Faith Together

THE GIFTS OF GOD FOR THE PEOPLE OF GOD

WHAT IT'S ABOUT

This is about renewing your congregation --getting it growing again -- *with the gifts that God has given you.*

ASSET BASED

We celebrate and help you grow with what you have, rather than lamenting and obsessing about what you don't have.

BASED IN OUR TRADITION

We help you find energy, purpose and direction using God's word; prayer; the conversation of the saints and faith practices.

IT'S ABOUT LEADERSHIP

We help you navigate change calmly, confidently, and effectively.

HOW IT WORKS

The Pastor or rostered leader and 5-6 lay leaders (Your GiFT Team) attend four workshops with an assigned coach.

Together, your GiFT team and coach will create a six-month plan.

The team returns to the congregation and begins implementing the plan.

The coach checks in with the GiFT Team each month.

After one year, your team will have a fully implemented renewal/outreach plan for the congregation.

WHAT IT COSTS

\$75 per congregation for all four workshops. (free will offering for lunches)

\$100 per month plus travel expenses for coach. (telephone or video conferencing can reduce costs)

HOW TO GET STARTED

Call Pastor Bill Tesch at 605-351-8098 or email him at btesch@sdsynod.org

