

## Shiloh's R.I.S.E. Ministries

We believe that God calls each of us, and that God equips us with gifts and talents for the ministries he has called us to do.

### We all have a place in God's plan!

At Shiloh we group those ministries into 4 areas:

- **Relating**
- **Including**
- **Sending**
- **Equipping**

All the gifts and ministries are important, and they all work together to bring God's Kingdom more fully .



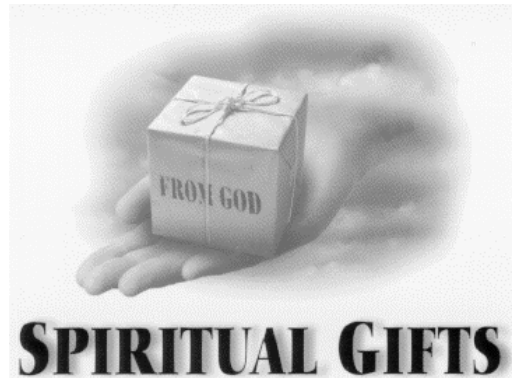
When we believe that God calls us and equips us for ministry, we are ready to jump in! With prayer and discerning, God helps us understand what level of engagement with ministry we are ready to experience. Wherever we start, and no matter what ministry God calls us to, we ALL have a place.

So come on in, the water is great!

## To Go Deeper:

If you would like more information on finding your place in ministry, on spiritual gifts, or on the R.I.S.E. ministry at Shiloh, check out the following resources:

- [www.shilohum.org](http://www.shilohum.org)
- [www.umc.org/site/c.lwL4KnN1LtH/b.1355371/k.9501/Spiritual\\_Gifts.htm](http://www.umc.org/site/c.lwL4KnN1LtH/b.1355371/k.9501/Spiritual_Gifts.htm)



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Including Ministries are where we experience God for the first time and find support and renewal.

**R**elate  
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**INCLUDING**  
*Ministries*

Being a part of something larger than ourselves is one of the great gifts God gives us. Not only can we become involved in the ministry of the Kingdom, but we can also help and encourage others be involved as well. This is what **INCLUDING** ministries is all about.



We all need to feel like we belong, and sometimes we have to be reminded that we do. So there are many opportunities to **include** people in ministry at Shiloh.

Scriptures about ministries that **Include:**

**Matthew 6:5-14**

**Romans 12:1-8**

**Acts 6:1-11**

**Philippians 4:10-20**

Knowing we are a part of the Body, being **included**, and being reminded of our belonging, is so important!

### Worship

All of our worship opportunities are designed to help people connect and reconnect and stay connected to the source of living water. Here are some of those opportunities:

- ◆ **Kid's Choir Director/Helper** - Direct/Assist children, ages 4 years through 5th grade, worship in song.
- ◆ **Shiloh Choir** - Singers who join to bring glory and praise to God. The Choir sings during our 9:00 a.m. sanctuary service.
- ◆ **Praise Team** - Leads the congregation in song and praise during our Life Center worship at 5:30 and 10:30.
- ◆ **Organist** - Plays for our 9:00am sanctuary worship.
- ◆ **Pianist** - Plays for our 9:00am sanctuary worship.
- ◆ **Special Music/Instrumentalist** - Music ministry for special occasions and Sunday worship.



- ◆ **Sound Technician** - Operates audio mixing equipment during worship.
- ◆ **Media/Computer Graphics** - Experience with computer hardware, video projectors, VHS, and DVD players is a plus.
- ◆ **Ushers** - Help at each worship to assist people in finding their seats, receiving the offering, distributing the attendance registers and straightening up the sanctuary after each worship.
- ◆ **Greeters** - Volunteers with the gift of hospitality welcome people to our worship and fellowship activities.
- ◆ **Information Booth Helpers** - Volunteers with the gift of hospitality welcome people to our worship and fellowship activities and give information and help.
- ◆ **Communion Preparation** - To prepare the communion elements for worship.
- ◆ **Worship Coordinator** - With so many people, parts, and preparation, this person helps make sure everything is cared for in worship before, during and after.

### Congregational Care

- ◆ **Meals Ministry** - Prepare food for families who have babies, recent surgeries, or are home-bound. Also prepare and serve funeral dinners at Shiloh.
- ◆ **Card Ministry** - Receiving a kind word and a remembrance through the mail is a great blessing for our church family. Those in the card ministry remind people of our love for one another.
- ◆ **Prayer Ministry** - Those in the Prayer Ministry offer spiritual help and support as well as teaching and discernment through prayer.
- ◆ **Parish Nurse Program** - Assist in developing wellness programs such as support groups, helping with shut-ins, transportation, information sessions, and other health and healing ministries.
- ◆ **Green Brigade Ministry** - Anyone who is interested in recycling, helping the church move in a green direction and learning/teaching others to become better stewards of God's Earth.

### T.G.I.W. (Thank God It's Wednesday)

- ◆ **T.G.I.W. Monitor** - To assist and direct our kids and adults during evening activities.
- ◆ **Set-Up** - Prepare the kitchen and fellowship hall for the evening meal.
- ◆ **Kitchen** - Serve on a team to prepare the meal which will be served at 5:30 p.m.
- ◆ **Server** - Help serve the evening meal.
- ◆ **Clean-Up** - Be a part of the team which will clean the kitchen and fellowship hall area after the evening meal.
- ◆ **Head Cook** - Responsible for coordinating kitchen help preparing evening meal. Approximately 1 time per month.
- ◆ **Cook's Helper** - Assist in food preparation.

### Dessert Theater

- ◆ **Set Up Tables/Tear Down** - Prepare the FLC for the performance and return it to its original state.
- ◆ **Prepare desserts** - Prepare desserts ahead of time .
- ◆ **Costumes** - Sew, procure and accessorize the costumes.
- ◆ **Behind the scenes** - painting sets, procuring props, helping during the performance to keep things running smoothly.

