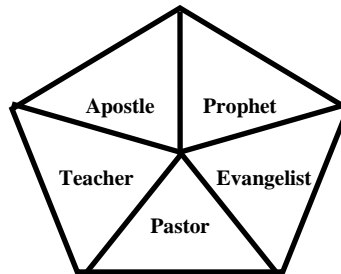


**LifeShapes Course**  
**Session 5 – Ministry Roles**



**Key Principle: Each of us has different roles/ministry gifts, contributing different aspects of church life and mission – we complement one another perfectly – we need each other**

**Key Scripture: Ephesians 4.11-13**

**Link to free online questionnaire to help you identify your 5 fold ministry gifts:**  
<https://designdiscovery.com/fivefold-spiritual-gifts-test/>

1. Take some time to consider each of the five roles.
  - i. What do you think the Apostles bring to church life?
  - ii. What do you think the Evangelists bring to church life?
  - iii. What do you think the Prophets bring to church life?
  - iv. What do you think the Pastors bring to church life?
  - v. What do you think the Teachers bring to church life?
  
2. The Pentagon shows us the five key roles that build up the church.
  - i. Which of the five roles is your preference and why? (Choose one or two of the roles only)
  - ii. In what area of your life are you functioning well in your preferred/favourite role? Are there areas where you feel like you are in the wrong job? Like a square peg in a round hole?
  - iii. What are you going to do differently to exercise your role/ministry this week?
  - iv. How can you encourage/raise up others who share your gifts?

**Please come prepared next time to share your learning with others.**