Empower Syllabus for Spiritual Gifts April 15, 2023, 1pm-4pm Rev. Dr. Charles O. Galbreath

Required Reading: Storms, Sam. <u>The Beginner's Guide to Spiritual Gifts.</u> (Bloomington, MN: Bethany House Publishers, 2012.)

Paper Formatting: For all writing assignments: double-space, one-inch margins, Times New Roman 12 font.

There is one pre-class assignment for this class and one post-class assignment. The pre-class assignment is due on April 7, 2023 and the post-class assignment is due on April 28, 2023.

Pre-class assignment: Due on April 7, 2023 Reading Report

- 1. Read The Beginner's Guide to Spiritual Gifts by Sam Storms.
- 2. Submit a 2-page response paper answering the following questions:
 - a. With what areas of the author's discussion did you most agree?
 - b. From what areas of the author's content did you have questions?
 - c. How will what you learned in this book shape your future life in ministry?

Post-class assignment: Due on April 28, 2023 Response Paper

- 1. Write a 5-page paper on what spiritual gifts you have already experienced and in what context.
 - a. List 5 spiritual gifts you have not experienced but would like to "eagerly desire" (I Cor 14:1). Write of how you will begin to move in the 4-step model given in class, with these 5 spiritual gifts.