

Today's Theme:

## “What's It all About... The Church?”

September 10, 2023

### Series: “We're Part Of The New Community”- Pt. 1

“All of you together are Christ's body, and each of you is a part of it.” 1 Cor.12:27

## Why We Need Each Other?

**Rom.12:5**

1. We Were Built To Live Our Best Lives In \_\_\_\_\_ With Other Jesus Followers Rom.12:5

1). I Need Others To \_\_\_\_\_ With Me Thru Life.  
Col.2:6-7; Gen.2:18

- Community is Jesus' answer to my \_\_\_\_\_.  
Heb.10:24-25

2). I Need Others To \_\_\_\_\_ With Me.  
Eph.2:10; Eccl. 4:9

- Community is Jesus' answer to my being \_\_\_\_\_.  
Gal.6:9-10 (MSG)

3). I Need Others To \_\_\_\_\_ For Me.  
Phil. 2:4; Heb.13:1

- Community is God's answer to my \_\_\_\_\_.  
Eccl.4:12

4). I Need Others To Go Thru \_\_\_\_\_ With Me.  
1 Pet.3:8; 1 Thes.5:11

- Community is God's answer to my \_\_\_\_\_.  
Rom.12:15

## More Of Why We Need Each Other...

5). I Need Others To Show Off The \_\_\_\_\_ Together With Me. John 13:34-35

- Jesus' Answer to \_\_\_\_\_ is \_\_\_\_\_!  
Phil. 1:27 CEV; Matt. 5:16; 1 John 3:18

**Why Is There So Little Satisfaction In This Life?**  
Because You Were \_\_\_\_\_ For Another \_\_\_\_\_!

Eccl. 3:11

Jesus Gives Us A Clue... Why:

“We Are Better Together”...Matt.18:20

Because Jesus Is \_\_\_\_\_ Of That Gathering!

That Gathering Together, Begun By Jesus, Is Known  
As His \_\_\_\_\_ or His \_\_\_\_\_!

### 5 Purposes Of His Church:

1. To \_\_\_\_\_ God & rep Him on earth as guardians of truth & grace. 1Pet.2:9; Col.1:18; Jn.1:17; John 17:17
2. To build \_\_\_\_\_ among Believers who have the hope & assurance of eternal life. Jn.17:16
3. To be the people of God who God is making into the \_\_\_\_\_ of Jesus. Rom.8:29; Col/1:28
4. To draw others to this life of faith in Jesus living out \_\_\_\_\_ in action w/each other. John 13:34-35
5. To complete the work Jesus left us here to do: \_\_\_\_\_ & disciple lost people! Matt.28:18-20; 2 Cor.5:20

**Are You Part Of His \_\_\_\_\_ Here At Baycities?**  
**If you are, sign up for New \_\_\_\_\_!**  
**If Not, Baptism Is Next Sunday... Sept. 17<sup>th</sup>!**