one another

Grow with one another in Christ

May 11, 2025 | Made For This
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sermon notes

The One Anothers assume COMMUNITY

1. The CALLING to Community (Ephesians 1:19-23)
v.22-23: And God placed all things under his feet and appointed him to be head over everything for the church, which is his body, the fullness of him who fills everything in every way.

2. The NECESSITY of Community (1 Corinthians 12:12-22)
v.18-20: But in fact God has placed the parts in the body, every one of them, just as he wanted them to be. If they were all one part, where would the body be? As it is, there are many parts, but one body.

3. The PICTURE of Community (Acts 2:42-47)
v.46-47: Every day they continued to meet together in the temple courts. They broke bread in their homes and ate together with glad and sincere hearts, praising God and enjoying the favor of all the people. And the Lord added to their number daily those who were being saved.

So… what are the “ One Anothers? ”

Where do I find the power to do these? In the person and work of JESUS!

Jesus ONE ANOTHERED me.

going deeper

Take a moment to pray. Confess your need for the Holy Spirit ’ s help in illuminating God ’ s Word to you.

Why do you think our culture values independence and self-sufficiency so highly?

What does it mean to be “ known ” by someone else?

Read Ephesians 4:11-16

What stands out to you in this passage?

What does this passage reveal about God ’ s design for community?

What does it mean for the body of Christ to be built up?

What are some characteristics of being “ infants ” in our faith? What kind of “ wind of teaching ” or “ deceitful scheming ” do you believe we face today?

Read Acts 2:42-47

What stands out to you about the kind of community the early church shared?

How does this challenge or inspire your view of church today?

What are some barriers that are keeping you from entering into real, Christ-centered community?

upcoming

Prime Timer ’ s Breakfast | May 15th | 8:30am | Village Inn

“ Love & Respect ” YA Summer Study starts June 1 | Register in Events

Summer Kickoff Night of Worship | June 8th | 6pm | Greenspace