

One Body

The Church

Matthew 16:16-18 *Church is built on Christ*

What principle is the church built on?

Who leads the church? (**Colossians 1:15-18** Jesus is the head of the body)

1 Corinthians 12:12-27 *Church is the body of Christ*

How does the scriptures describe the church?

How does one become a part of the body?

How important is each member of the body?

Ephesians 2:19-21 *Church is the family of God*

How does this scripture describe the church?

What is this family's standard based on?

Hebrews 10:19-25 *Church meets together consistently*

How does God feel about the meetings of the body?

Why is this commitment to fellowship important?

How is this accomplished? (See "one another" passages)

Ephesians 4:11-13 *Church is organized by God*

Who is the leader of the church?

What are some other biblical roles of leadership?

Why is this leadership also important?

What are the benefits for you?

Acts 2:42-47 *Church worships God*

How does the church worship God?

1. Communion (Ref. Acts 20:7, 1 Corinthians 11:23-28)
2. Contribution (Ref. 1 Corinthians 16:2, 2 Corinthians 9:6-11)
3. Worship (Ref. John 4:24, Matthew 22:35-40)
4. Prayer (Ref. 1 Timothy 2:1)
5. Singing (Ref. Colossians 3:15-17)

Personal Decisions:

How will you be an active member in God's family?

Study the "one another passages" to understand God's expectations for His family.