

I am a member of the body of Christ, therefore **I have a Responsibility for Appreciating Diversity** in the body.

Even so the body is not made up of one part but of many.

1 Corinthians 12:14 (NIV)

I am a member of the body of Christ, therefore **I have a Responsibility for Ministering to Members** of the body.

But God has put the body together, giving greater honor to the parts that lacked it, ²⁵ so that there should be no division in the body, but that its parts should have equal concern for each other.

1 Corinthians 12:24-25 (NIV)

Serve One: Becoming an Instrument of Grace

"Members of One Another"

1 Corinthians 12:12-27

Sunday, September 16, 2018

Sermon Proposition

You are the body of Christ, and each one of you is a member of the body.

Paul would have you understand that you have three responsibilities as a member of the body of Christ.

I am a member of the body of Christ, therefore **I have a Responsibility for Maintaining Unity** in the body.

Just as a body, though one, has many parts, but all its many parts form one body, so it is with Christ.

1 Corinthians 12:12 (NIV)

Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace. ⁴ *There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to one hope when you were called;*

Ephesians 4:3-4 (NIV)