

One John 17:20-26

The BIG Idea: God wants the church to be a place of _____ and meaningful community.

- Our walk with Jesus is not an individual pursuit; it's a _____.
- You cannot live the life God has purposed for you while disconnected from or on the fringes of Christian _____.

What's the Context of Jesus' Prayer?

- The When: On the night of Jesus' _____ and _____.
- The Who: "I don't ask for these only, but also for those who _____ in me through their word."
- The Why: John 13:34, "Love _____ I have loved you."

What's the Climax of Jesus' Prayer?

- Verse 21: "Father, I ask that they may _____ be one, just as you, Father, are in me, and I in you."
- Verse 22: "I ask that they may be one, _____ we, Father, are one."
- Verse 23: "I ask that they may become _____ one."

What's Going to Happen?

So that ...

- Verse 21: "The world may know that the Father _____ the Son."
- Verse 23: "The world may know that the Father _____ us."
- Verse 26: "The world may know that the Father's love is _____ us."

Question: What is Bethel known for? Something speaks louder than our preaching and our singing ... it's the _____ within our _____.

What's Our Role?

We can't create unity, but we can take practical steps to cultivate unity by ...

- _____ for one another.
- _____ in one another.

1 John 3:16, "By this we know love, that he laid down his life for us, and we ought to lay down our lives for the brothers."

Hebrews 10:24, "And let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works."