

SERMON APPLICATION SHEET FOR:

Pastor Tony Felich

Unity and Maturity in the Church through Christ

Ephesians 4:13-16

September 27, 2020

Sermon Text	Sermon Notes
<p>Ephesians 4:11 And he gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the shepherds and teachers, [12] to equip the saints for the work of ministry, for building up the body of Christ, [13] until we all attain to the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to mature manhood, to the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ, [14] so that we may no longer be children, tossed to and fro by the waves and carried about by every wind of doctrine, by human cunning, by craftiness in deceitful schemes. [15] Rather, speaking the truth in love, we are to grow up in every way into him who is the head, into Christ, [16] from whom the whole body, joined and held together by every joint with which it is equipped, when each part is working properly, makes the body grow so that it builds itself up in love.</p>	<p><i>The way to enhance our unity as Christ's church is to pursue spiritual maturity.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The marks of spiritual immaturity (13-14) • The marks of spiritual maturity (15) • Unity-which heralds Christ to the World- comes from spiritual maturity (16) <p>Memory verse for 2020-</p> <p>Matthew 7:24-25</p> <p>[24] "Everyone then who hears these words of mine and does them will be like a wise man who built his house on the rock.</p> <p>[25] And the rain fell, and the floods came, and the winds blew and beat on that house, but it did not fall, because it had been founded on the rock.</p>

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Sermon Application Questions

1. What are some of the marks of spiritual immaturity?
2. Why is spiritual immaturity dangerous? What can it lead to?
3. What does look like to "speak the truth in love"?
4. How does spiritual maturity enhance the unity of the church?
5. How does the unity of the church introduce Christ to the world?

Prayer Requests

This week our family will lift up requests for:

This week our family will praise the Lord for:

HFG Notes & Actions:

Next HFG meeting is: