

Melbourne Community Church (MCC)

Sunday Service — September 19, 2021

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What is the difference between unity and uniformity?

What does it mean to be part of the church family?

What we learned last week:

Disciple: ([Acts 2:42](#))

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- Bible study— personal and corporate
- Prayer — personal and corporate
- Community — Biblical friendship, e.g., small groups
 - ⇒ Iron sharpening iron
 - ⇒ Love at all times
 - ⇒ Closer than a brother.
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Evidence of gospel power among us :

- Free to quit keeping score
- Acceptance of refiner’s fire
- No need to be defensive
- Efficiency from staying in your lane
 - ⇒ Submission
 - ⇒ No “busybodying”
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- Repent of “consumer Christianity.”
- Practice servant leadership. ([Matthew 20:25-28](#))
- Represent: Show up, Keep up, Help out.
- Consider others: visitors, “weaker” brother/sister.
([I Corinthians 8:8-9](#); [I Corinthians 12:22](#))

Who are we?

- Heirs of the King. ([Romans 8:17](#))
- Citizens of the Kingdom. ([Philippians 3:20](#))
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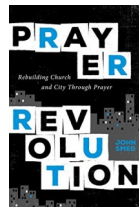
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