

2016 – The Year Of Perfection

Text: Ephesians 4:11-13

The Goal of the Church

I: Attain to the unity of the faith. Romans 6:5; 1 Corinthians 12:27; Ephesians 4:3

III: Attain to the knowledge of the Son of God. Philippians 3:7-11

III: Attain to a mature man to the measure that belongs to the fulness of Christ.

John 13:35 *By this all people will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.*

John 17:23 *I in them and you in me, that they may become perfectly one, so that the world may know that you sent me and loved them even as you loved me.*

Acts 4:32 *Now the full number of those who believed were of one heart and soul, and no one said that any of the things that belonged to him was his own, but they had everything in common.*

Philippians 2:1-3 *So if there is any encouragement in Christ, any comfort from love, any participation in the Spirit, any affection and sympathy, complete my joy by being of the same mind, having the same love, being in full accord and of one mind. Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility count others more significant than yourselves.*

Colossians 3:14 *And above all these put on love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony.*

1 John 4:12 *No one has ever seen God; if we love one another, God abides in us and his love is perfected in us.*

Psalms 133:1 *Behold, how good and pleasant it is when brothers dwell in unity!*

Romans 12:10 *Love one another with brotherly affection. Outdo one another in showing honour.*

Matthew 18:15 *If your brother sins against you, go and tell him his fault, between you and him alone. If he listens to you, you have gained your brother.*

Romans 12:16 *Live in harmony with one another. Do not be haughty, but associate with the lowly. Never be wise in your own sight.*

1 Corinthians 1:10 *I appeal to you, brothers, by the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that all of you agree, and that there be no divisions among you, but that you be united in the same mind and the same judgment.*