



So We Would Know

John 21:15-17

Come Together... Right Now

John 21:15 After breakfast Jesus said to Simon Peter, "Simon son of John, do you love Me more than these?" "Yes, Lord," Peter replied, "you know I love you." "Then feed My lambs," Jesus told him.

16 Jesus repeated the question: "Simon son of John, do you love me?" "Yes, Lord," Peter said, "you know I love you." "Then take care of my sheep," Jesus said.

17 Once more He asked him, "Simon son of John, do you love Me?" Peter was grieved that Jesus asked the question a third time. He said, "Lord, you know everything. You know I love You." Jesus said, "Then feed My sheep. NLT

1. The church is not a building; it's a living breathing _____ . We each play a part.

Psalms 42:11 Why art thou cast down, O my soul? and why art thou disquieted within me? hope thou in God: for I shall yet praise him, who is the health of my countenance, and my God. KJV

Psalms 42:11 Why am I discouraged? Why so sad? I will put my hope in God! I will praise him again — my Savior and my God! NLT

2. The flock serves to keep us upright and walking in the right _____.
3. The flock metaphor gives a picture of how the church is supposed to stay together and work together:
 - a. We are to come together for _____.
 - b. We are to come together for _____.
 - c. We are to come together for _____.
 - d. We are to come together to weather the _____.
 - e. We are _____ to each other...loyal to our flock.
4. Together the flock learns to _____ the Good Shepherd.
5. The under-shepherd (the pastor) is _____ to the owner of the flock (God) not to the flock.
6. The flock is God's _____ to help individuals come together into a community that helps each other learn to distinguish the _____ voice.