

Walk Worthy of Your Calling

Ephesians 4:1-6 (CSB)

Main Point: Christians are to live in a manner worthy of our calling, which means living in visible, loving harmony with other Christians. It must be based on the attributes of God the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

- I. THE CALL TO WALK IN UNITY (4:1-3)
 - a. The standard of our walk (v.1)
 - b. The qualities of our walk (v.2a-b)
 - c. The means of our walk (vv. 2c-3)
- II. THE BASIS FOR WALKING IN UNITY (4:4-6)
 - a. Christian unity is based on One Holy Spirit (v.4)
 - b. Christian unity is based on One Lord Jesus the Christ (v.5)
 - c. Christian unity is based on One Father God (v.6)

Discussion Questions:

- 1. In what ways has God been gracious to you lately?
- 2. Think of ways God has been a blessing and using CBC in the last few months
- 3. What did the Lord specifically tell you about how to live worthy of for his calling on your life?
- 4. Describe qualities of humility, gentleness, patience
- 5. What is your part in being diligent in preserving unity of the Spirit in peace within CBC context?
- 6. List the Seven One statements and described what they mean:
 - a. _____
 - b. _____

- c. _____
- d. _____
- e. _____
- f. _____
- g. _____

- 7. What ethical behaviors do you need to work on today?
- 8. Ask God the Father to grant your grace, heavenly peace, agape love, to mirror the call Christ has on your life, by the power of the Holy Spirit dwelling in you.

Application:

- 1. Intentionally cultivate the character qualities of humility, gentleness, patience
- 2. Tolerate other Christians lovingly, for we are all family in Christ.
- 3. Diligently preserve the unity, pray for it, practice by pursuing peace of Christ

Scripture References:

Walking worthy: Col 1:10, 1 Thess 2:12, Lk 12:48
Our calling: Rom 11:29, 1 Cor 1:26, 2 Pet 1:10
Humility, gentleness, patience: Phil 2:3, James 4:6, 1 Pet 5:5, Gal 5:23, 2 Tim 2:25
Tolerance for one another in love: 1 Cor 13:4, 7, John 13:34-35, 15:12, 17
Preserving unity in bond of peace: Col 3:14