

d. Our _____

8. What is the warning Jesus gives to his disciples (vs. 20) and why is it significant?

Read Ephesians 3:10-11

9. Give at least 3 truths about the church presented in these verses.
10. Is there something from the message you want to discuss that is not included here as part of the study?

Response – Making it Practical

1. What one new thing did you learn from this entire series?
2. What is one change in your life that has occurred because of this series?

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Life Group Study Notes

In this final message we look at the people of God as a distinct community, a continuum from the earliest pages of the Bible.



Today we know it as the church. No institution matches its dynamics or its purpose. Despite rumours of its decline, and the continual attacks that it faces, Jesus promised that the church would always stand.

Study – Discovering What the Bible Says?

1. Can you, in one sentence, summarize the teaching of last week's study or sermon?
2. Of the 5 messages, was there one that resonated most with you? Why? (Here are the 5 – Overview, Law, Covenant, Messiah, Church)
3. What attracts you to church the most?

4. How did the Communion service dovetail with the lessons being presented in this series?

5. What are the Old Testament words that serve as the background for the term, church?

a. _____

b. _____

c. _____

Read Matthew 16:13-20

6. What is significant about the place where Jesus makes his announcement about the church?

7. What are the four truths gleaned from this passage? Take time to discuss the significance of each.

a. Our _____

b. Our _____

c. Our _____