## SERMON NOTES—DECEMBER 26, 2021





## The Church

THE CHURCH IS		Acts 2:1-4
		- Ephesians 1:22-23
THE MIRACULOUS BI	RTH OF THE CHUR	CH BEGAN ON
		- Ephesians 1:4
		- John 16:13
		- Hebrews 9:15
		- Mark 14:22-24
		- 1 Corinthians 15:1-4
		- Ephesians 1:19-21
		- Ephesians 1:7
		- Leviticus 23:15
		- Exodus 19:1
		- Acts 2:42
The church is to teach		doctrine
		- Ephesians 4:14
The churc	h is to be engaged i	1
	to	one another - Romans 12:10
	We	one another - Romans 15:14
		and to one another
	- Ephesians 4:32	
	We are to	one another—1 Thessalonians 5:1
	We are to	one another— 1 John 3:11
The churc	h is to observe the _	
		- 1 Corinthians 11:23-26
The nurno	se of the church is	
рапро	_	- Philippians 4:6-7
THE CHURCH IS TO P	ROCLAIM THE	
		- Matthew 28:18-20
		- 1 Peter 3:15
		- James 1:27

- 1 Corinthians 12:12-14

## QUESTIONS FOR SMALL GROUPS/ PERSONAL REFLECTION December 26, 2021—The Church





- 1. How would you explain to a non-believer that the church is not the physical building but is in fact the people?
- 2. What is your understanding of Pentecost?
- 3. How do you celebrate Pentecost?
- 4. Are you trying to "make bread" out of "barley" or "wheat"?
- 5. Explain how the Old Testament is the New Testament hidden, and the New Testament is the Old Testament revealed?
- 6. What are the similarities and differences between today's church and the original church described in Acts 2?
- 7. What do you think is the most important purpose of the church?
- 8. What is your reason for the hope you have? If you don't have hope, why not?
- 9. Do you need to be born again?