

# Church Today

Matthew 16:18 NIV

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## What Are You Going To Do About This Church?

Why Is This Church Still \_\_\_\_\_?

What Would Be Your \_\_\_\_\_ For This Church?

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Not Even \_\_\_\_\_ Can Stop The Church

Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ loved the church and gave himself up for her to make her holy, cleansing her by the washing with water through the word, and to present her to himself as a radiant church, without stain or wrinkle or any other blemish, but holy and blameless. Ephesians 5:25-27 NIV

Church Here is "Ekklesia" = \_\_\_\_\_ ones

God's Goal For the Assembled Church Is to Make Her \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_

Christ Has A Special \_\_\_\_\_ for the Assembled Church

...so in Christ we who are many form one body, and each member belongs to all the others. We have different gifts, according to the grace given us. If a man's gift is prophesying, let him use it in proportion to his faith. If it is serving, let him serve; if it is teaching, let him teach; if it is encouraging, let him encourage; if it is contributing to the needs of others, let him give generously; if it is leadership, let him govern diligently; if it is showing mercy, let him do it cheerfully. Romans 12:5-8 NIV

Now to each one the manifestation of the Spirit is given for the common good. To one there is given through the Spirit the message of wisdom, to another the message of knowledge by means of the same Spirit, to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healing by that one Spirit, to another miraculous powers, to another prophecy, to another distinguishing between spirits, to another speaking in different kinds of tongues, and to still another the interpretation of tongues. All these are the work of one and the same Spirit, and he gives them to each one, just as he determines. The body is a unit, though it is made up of many parts; and though all its parts are many, they form one body. So it is with Christ. 1 Corinthians 12:7-13 NIV

We \_\_\_\_\_

## Benefits To You Serving And Helping This Church Prosper

1. You Might Gain A \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Your Day
3. Value In Being A Part of Something \_\_\_\_\_
4. Christ Can Make a \_\_\_\_\_ Out of What You Do

## Risks to Not Serving And Helping The Church

1. Might \_\_\_\_\_ On the Most Important Part of Your \_\_\_\_\_
2. God Could \_\_\_\_\_ For Not Obeying
3. It Does Something To You Psychologically and Emotionally When You Know You Haven't \_\_\_\_\_ Your \_\_\_\_\_

## Some Goals

\_\_\_\_\_ By October 27

\_\_\_\_\_ Gifts For Operation Christmas Child

\_\_\_\_\_ By The End of May 2020

To Do This Week: Decide What You Will Do About Helping \_\_\_\_\_ Prosper

