



GATHER

HEBREWS 10:24-25

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1) WE OFTEN THINK ABOUT CHURCH AS A SPIRITUAL _____ PROVIDING SPIRITUAL GOODS & SERVICES.

2) WE GATHER TOGETHER SO EACH OF US CAN PLAY A ROLE IN THE _____.

[24] And let us consider how to **stir up one another** to love and good works,

3) WE WERE DESIGNED TO BE _____.

[23] Let us hold fast the confession of our hope **without wavering...** [25] not neglecting to **meet together**, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another...

4) WE HAVE TO LEARN TO _____ PEOPLE THROUGH "NOT FINE".

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DIGGING DEEPER

1. Why do we gather for church?
2. How often do you think of the church as a "Spiritual business?" In what ways does this manifest in our action?
3. What are some ways (if any) the church *should* function as a Spiritual business?
4. What are some problems with thinking of the church as a Spiritual business?
5. Explain the analogy of the Giant Redwoods in your own words.
6. What are some potential problems with "going it alone?"
7. How have you been "spurred on?" by someone else lately?
8. How have you "spurred" someone else on lately?
9. Have you had to "love someone through their sin" lately?
10. What is the "day drawing near" (Hebrews 10:25) and how does this affect your daily walk as a Christian?



Thanks for gathering with us today!
I'm excited to see how God uses this series to deepen our faith and our love for the local church.

Thoughts? Comments?
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