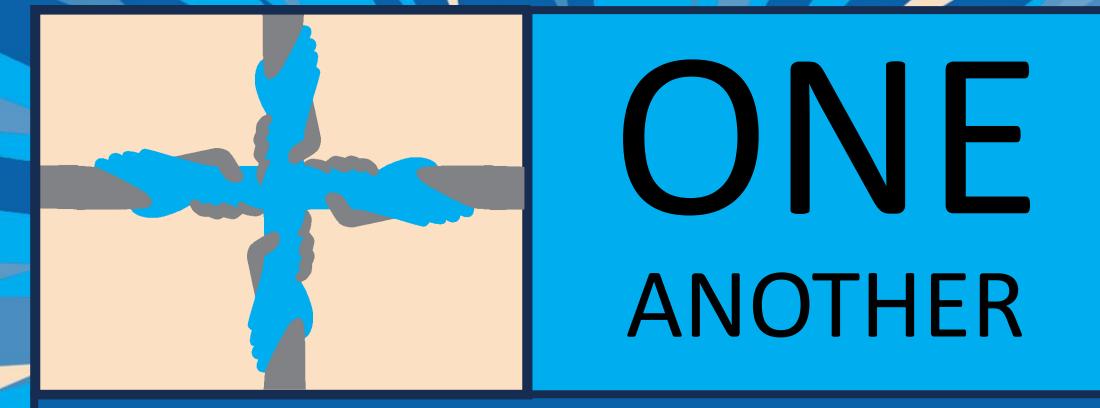


CALVARY BIBLE CHURCH

There are no substitutes for regularly and routinely connecting as a church family (it's a necessary component of life)





Following Jesus Together

Romans 12:1-13

MEMBERS
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The Book of Romans can be divided into 2 specific sections:

- 1 Chapters 1-11 Deal with how filthy rotten wicked sinners can stand clean and forgiven before a Holy God
- 2 Chapters 12-16 Having received that FREE gift of salvation, believers are to daily live for the glory of God

Romans 1:16-17

Chapter 12 states some of God's expectations for His followers (Romans 12:1-2)

"Urge" = literally means to call to one's side (this instruction is tenderly given like a loving father pulling his precious son close to his side for this teaching) Romans 12:3-8

ALL of us NEED to remain humble – it is ONLY by God's glorious grace that we have been pulled out of the muck

The Body of Christ is composed of a wide range of gifted people, tasked with the responsibility of using those gifts for God's glory

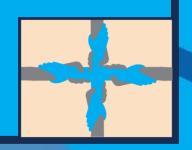
EVERY body part is NEEDED and for the body to function properly ALL parts MUST be actively engaged

ANY gift is an act of God's grace (ALL of our gifts stem from God's gift of grace)



My involvement in church life goes beyond my personal benefitsmy being here is for your good and vice versa

Hebrews 10:19-25



When we make it an accepted practice of missing church, we're opening the entire body up to needless weakness

Questions ALL of us should constantly be asking ourselves:

- 1 Where can I serve? And what ministry can I get plugged into?
- 2 What NEEDS am I aware of presently?

 And how can I meet those NEEDS?

Acts 2:42-47

They devoted themselves to teaching, fellowship, and prayer (regularly connecting with one another)

We're MANY members, BUT function as one body

Romans 12:9-13

