Unity in the Body of Christ 8-20-2017

I entreat Euodia and I entreat Syntyche to <u>agree in the Lord</u>. Yes, I ask you also, true companion, help these women, who have labored side by side with me in the gospel together with Clement and the rest of my fellow workers, whose names are in the book of life. Philippians 4:2-3

...I pray also for those who will believe in me through their message, that all of them <u>may be</u> <u>one</u>...so that they may be brought to <u>complete unity</u>. Then <u>the world will know</u> that you sent me and have loved them even as you have loved me.

John 17:20-21, 23

"Make my joy complete by **being of the same mind**, **maintaining the same love**, **united in spirit**, **intent on one purpose**,"

Philippians 2:2

1) We Desperately **Need** Each Other

Just as our bodies have many parts and each part has a special function, so it is with Christ's body. We are <u>many parts</u> of <u>one body</u>, and we all <u>belong to each other.</u>
Romans 12:4-5

2) We Love Like Jesus Loved

"A new command I give you: <u>Love one another</u>. As I have loved you, so you must <u>love one another</u>. By <u>this</u> everyone will know that you are my disciples, <u>if you love one another</u>."

John 13:34-35

**Accept one another**, then, just as **Christ accepted you**, in order **to bring praise to God**. Romans 15:7

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"You may find hundreds of faultfinders among professed Christians; but all their criticism will not lead one solitary soul to Christ." — D.L. Moody

3) Because We Can Do Infinitely More **Together** 

All the believers were <u>one in heart and mind</u>. No one claimed that any of their possessions was their own, but they shared everything they had. ...And God's grace was so powerfully at work in them all that there were <u>no needy persons among them</u>...

Acts 4:32-34

## Our Vision at Three Point Bible Church is to:

Love God, Love others and Make disciples

## The Mission of Three Point Bible Church is to:

Invite others to join us in a relationship with Jesus Christ Live lives submitted to His Word and His Holy Spirit Become people who worship, love and pray Impact the world with the gospel