

One Body, Many Parts

1 Corinthians 12:14-27

(series #49)

Introduction: The church as the body of Christ

- 1 Corinthians 12:12, 27

- Ephesians 1:22-23; 5:30

- Romans 12:5

I. The Diversity of the Body of Christ vv. 14-19

A. One body, many members v. 14

B. Each member is important vv. 15-19

C. God has determined each one's gift v. 18

1. 1 Corinthians 12:11, 24

2. 1 Corinthians 12:31

3. 1 Corinthians 14:1

II. The Unity of the Body of Christ vv. 20-26

A. Many members, one body v. 20

B. Each member is important vv. 21-24

C. God's design for unity and diversity vv. 25-27

1. Romans 12:15-16

2. Galatians 6:5

Conclusion: Your role, function, contribution is important!