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Sunday School Lessons Unit Three "One in the Bond of Love" May 2015



We are providing these notes from the Committee on Uniform Series that prepares associated Sunday School lesson outlines long in advance of their usage. Included in this Guide are thoughts that are reflected in the Lesson Development Guide for writers of Sunday school lessons and the recommended commentary of the Department of Christian Education, The New International Lesson Annual published by Abingdon Press Nashville, Tennessee.

The Spring Quarter (March-April-May) focuses on The Holy Spirit's role in the Godhead. The second unit is entitled **The Community of Beloved Disciples** and the third unit is entitled **One in the Bond of Love**.

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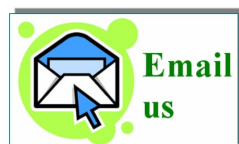
Organizations are composed of several interrelated, interdependent functional parts. Why is it important to value all of the parts? In his letter, Paul tells the Corinthian church that all spiritual gifts are necessary for its efficient operation.

Goal for the Learners

- ✓ To learn how each member of the body supports the other members.
- ✓ To value the different gifts operating within the church.
- ✓ To use spiritual gifts in cooperation with others for building up the body of Christ.

Lesson Challenges for the Week

- Encourage other members of the church to use their spiritual gifts by being a role model in terms of the way you use your own gifts.
- Care for a member of the body that is suffering.
- Express your gratitude to people in the church who are exercising their spiritual gifts. Let them know how much their gifts help everyone. Be especially mindful of those who feel they have "lesser" gifts, so that they will know they are needed and that their gifts are valuable.



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