Ephesians 4: 1-6 September 12th, 2021 Pastor Adam Fix

## **SERMON NOTES**

## **STUDY QUESTIONS**

Read Ephesians 4:1-6 (Groups read it twice with different readers)

What characteristics come to mind when you think of leadership? How do the best leaders lead? From what position does the Apostle Paul write this?

Why must the church be committed to gentleness, humility, and patience if we are to have true unity in Christ? What will the opposite of these postures result in?

How is the unity of the universal Church rooted in the unity of God? How is that unity lived out in the local church? What does it mean to be united under Christ, our head?

Does unity necessitate uniformity? How does a beautiful picture of biblical love for one another emerge when we are different from each other, yet steadfast in our commitment to remain united in the Spirit?

Where have you seen unions falter and fail? Consider churches, marriages, teams, partnerships, and other relationships without divulging gossip. How are these important warnings from past experiences that we can wisely learn from?

What rights, privileges, and preferences may you need to loosen your grip on for the sake of unity? How might doing this advance your growth in Christlikeness and bless others?