

Series: A Christian Church, a study in Hebrews

Sermon: "...a kingdom that cannot be shaken..."

Primary text: Hebrews 12:14-29

Discussion guide:

- What are some of your favorite things about being a part of the church?
- How does the church help you and others remain faithful to Jesus?
- What can/should the church do to be more effective at this?
- Read Hebrews 12:14-15
 - How does being at peace with people help keep Christians faithful to Jesus?
 - How does being at odds with people cause people to walk away from Jesus?
 - Why do you think it's called a "root of bitterness"?
 - How does such a thing "defile many"?
 - How can we help each other be at peace?
- Read Hebrews 12:14-17
 - What is holiness?
 - How does holiness help people remain faithful to Jesus?
 - C.S. Lewis once said of holiness that it "baptized his imagination" – why do you think he wrote such a thing?
 - How can we help each other be holy?
- Read Hebrews 12:18-29
 - Why is God's kingdom unshakable?
 - How is worship another way we can help each other remain faithful to Jesus?