

Keeping the Peace May 31, 2020

I. WHAT'S THE BIG IDEA? Eph 4:1-8

God, Himself, brings us into a <u>body</u> of <u>unity</u>. He <u>brings</u> us together; it is our task to <u>stay</u> together.

- II. THE HEALING AT PENTECOST
 - A. God <u>divided</u> humanity at Babel by <u>confusing</u> languages.
 - B. God <u>united</u> His people at Pentecost with a <u>common</u>, heavenly <u>language</u>.
- III. HOW DO WE KEEP UNITY AND PRESERVE THE PEACE AMONG US?
 - A. THERE IS ONE:
 - 1. Body
 - 2. Spirit
 - 3. <u>Lord</u>
 - 4. Faith
 - 5. Hope
 - 6. Baptism

- B. The ingredients:
 - 1. <u>Humility</u>
 - 2. <u>Gentleness</u>
 - 3. <u>Patience</u>
 - 4. <u>Tolerance</u>
 - 5. <u>Love</u>