

Offer Hope. Grow in Community. Be the Church.

February 6, 2021 11 Gifts God Has For the Sunday Gathering

1. Teaching of the Word:

Until I come, devote yourself to the public reading of Scripture, to preaching and to teaching. (1 Timothy 4:13)

... the Holy Scriptures, which are able to make you wise for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus. All Scripture is Godbreathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, so that the servant of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work. (2 Timothy 3:15-17)

2. The Lord's Supper:

Is not the cup of thanksgiving for which we give thanks a participation (Koinonia: fellowship) in the blood of Christ? And is not the bread that we break a participation in the body of Christ? Because there is one loaf, we, who are many, are one body, for we all share the one loaf. (1 Corinthians 10:16-17)

3. Prayer:

"Again, truly I tell you that if two of you on earth agree about anything they ask for, it will be done for them by my Father in heaven. For where two or three gather in my name, there am I with them." (Matthew 18:19-20)

4. Worship:

Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth.

Worship the Lord with gladness;
come before Him with joyful songs.

Know that the Lord is God.

It is He who made us, and we are His;
we are His people, the sheep of His pasture.

Enter His gates with thanksgiving
and His courts with praise;
give thanks to Him and praise His name.

For the Lord is good and His love endures forever;
His faithfulness continues through all generations. (Psalm 100)

5. Church Discipline:

...warn those who are idle and disruptive, encourage the disheartened, help the weak, be patient with everyone.

(1 Thessalonians 5:14)

6. Spiritual Gifts:

EVERY MEMBER IS A MINISTER!

7. Fellowship:

All the believers were together and had everything in common. They sold property and possessions to give to anyone who had need. Every day they continued to meet together in the temple courts. They broke bread in their homes and ate together with glad and sincere hearts, praising God and enjoying the favor of all the people. And the Lord added to their number daily those who were being saved. (Acts 2:44-47)

8. Evangelism:

The greatest form of praise is the sound of consecrated feet seeking out the lost and helpless. (Billy Graham)

There is no joy in the world like the joy of bringing one soul to Christ. (William Barclay)

9. Serving Each Other:

Look up Hebrews 10:24-25!

10. Giving:

Remember this: Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows generously will also reap generously.
(2 Corinthians 9:6)

11. Baptism:

When the people heard this, they were cut to the heart and said to Peter and the other apostles, "Brothers, what shall we do?" Peter replied, "Repent and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins. And you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. The promise is for you and your children and for all who are far off—for all whom the Lord our God will call."

With many other words he warned them; and he pleaded with them, "Save yourselves from this corrupt generation." Those who accepted his message were baptized, and about three thousand were added to their number that day. (Acts 2:37-39)