



REFRAMING OUR MISSION AS A CHURCH

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Sunday, March 14

1. **Intro:** When you think of the word “church” what ideas come to mind? What about the phrase “body of Christ”?
2. How did Duffy’s message enhance your understanding of the church?
3. **Read Ephesians 4:11–12.**
 - a. What gifts, talents, and passions has the Lord given you?
 - b. How can you use those gifts, talents, and passions for the building up of the church?
4. **Read Ephesians 4:13–15.**
 - a. Who is the person who has had the greatest influence on your spiritual life, and what is it that he/she did and/or said that was so impactful?
 - b. How can you and your group pursue having similar influence in the lives of others?

QUESTIONS FOR KIDS

1. **Read Ephesians 4:11–13 (International Children’s Bible):**

“And Christ gave gifts to men—he made some to be apostles, some to be prophets, some to go and tell the Good News, and some to have the work of caring for and teaching God’s people. Christ gave those gifts to prepare God’s holy people for the work of serving. He gave those gifts to make the body of Christ stronger. This work must continue until we are all joined together in the same faith and in the same knowledge about the Son of God. We must become like a mature person—we must grow until we become like Christ and have all his perfection.”

2. God gives each one of us different gifts, talents, and ways to serve. What are some of the ways you like to serve the family of God?
3. Who is someone in your life that tells you about Jesus? Draw them a picture or write them a note to say thank you!