

LIVE FROM YOUR CALLING

Ephesians 4:1-6

SERMON SUMMARY:

The new year is a time when we naturally reflect. We reflect on what we want this next year to look like, or perhaps we reflect on what went well and what did not go well the previous year. In our passage today, Paul urges us to reflect on the implications of Ephesians chapters 1-3.

SERMON OUTLINE

A Constant Warning

When the church loses sight of its calling, it becomes useless.

Key Focuses

Walk according to your calling.

Focus on health before growth.

Unity comes through emphasizing the main things.

Application

Reorient yourself toward God.

Spiritual health is a product of grace, truth, and time.

Maintaining unity is worth the energy.

THINK ABOUT IT/TALK ABOUT IT:

- In what ways can a church lose sight of its calling, and what steps can be taken to prevent this?
- What does it mean to "walk according to your calling,"
- How can a church prioritize spiritual health, and what role does it play in the church's ability to grow?
- What are the main things that should be emphasized, and how does this contribute to unity?
- Discuss the challenges of maintaining unity in the church and why Paul emphasizes that it's worth the energy.
- What else stuck out to you about today's message?