

Other Names for the Church

Acts 8:1 _____

Acts 9:2 _____

1 Corinthians 1:2 _____

1 Timothy 3:15 _____

Hebrews 12:23 _____

Yes – No Are these the names of different denominations?

Becoming a Member of the Church

13. Acts 2:34

Yes – No Do we join the church?

Yes – No Does God add us to the church?

14. Galatians 3:26, 27

Yes – No Does God add us to the church through baptism?

Yes – No Does “in Christ” mean to be in His body the church?

Blessings Found in Christ

2 Corinthians 5:17 _____

Colossians 1:14 _____

2 Timothy 2:10 _____

Ephesians 1:3 _____

Romans 8:1 _____

Review

1. Jesus _____ the church.

2. Jesus _____ the church with His blood.

3. Husbands should _____ their wives as Christ _____ the _____.

Growing in Jesus

Lesson 7

Introduction to the Church

What Is the Church?

1. Ephesians 1:22, 23; Colossians 1:18

Yes – No Is the church the body of Christ?

Yes – No As head of the church, does Jesus have limited authority over it?

Yes – No Can Jesus be head over you if you are not part of the body?

2. Ephesians 4:4

Yes – No Is there only one body?

What is the one body? _____

3. 1 Corinthians 12:12-27

Yes – No Does God call the church the body of Christ to show how closely the members are related to each other?

Yes – No Should the body be divided?

Yes – No Must members of the church be genuinely concerned for each other?

4. 1 Timothy 3:15; Ephesians 2:19

Yes – No In additions to being the one body of Christ, is the church also called the house of God?

Yes – No Can you belong to God's family if you are not a member of the church?

5. 1 Corinthians 3:16:17

Yes – No Is the church also called the temple of the Holy Spirit?

Yes – No Will God tolerate those who destroy His temple?

6. 2 Corinthians 11:2

Yes – No Is the church the bride of Christ?

How many brides does Christ have?

7. Colossians 1:13, 14

Yes – No Are Christians also added to the kingdom?

Yes – No Can you be in Christ's kingdom but not in His church?

The Builder of the Church

8. Matthew 16:18

Yes – No Is Jesus the builder of the church?

Yes – No Was Jesus talking about a building?

Yes – No Did Jesus build only one church?

9. Romans 16:16

Yes – No Were individual congregations in different towns called churches?

Yes – No Were these churches part of the church Jesus promised to build?

Yes – No Were all these churches different denominations?

Jesus' Love for the Church

10. Ephesians 5:25-27

Yes – No Husbands should love their wives the same way Jesus loved the church.

Yes – No Would it be of concern to Jesus if you dishonored His church?

Yes – No Does Jesus want you, as part of His church, to be clean and without blemish?

11. Ephesians 5:22-25

Yes – No Was it because He loved the church that Jesus died for it?

Yes – No Since Jesus is the savior of the body, are those outside the body in a lost state?

12. Acts 20:28

Yes – No Did Jesus shed His blood to purchase the church?

Yes – No Would a loving God leave the church without leaders to care for it?