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COMING UP @ CPC



SUMMER SERVE | JULY

Thank you to everyone that donated to the diaper drive! Starting next week, we will be collecting food items for the Jackson Food Pantry! Items can be brought in and placed under the display! To find a list of needed items, visit yourcpc.church/serve.



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STARTING POINT

Are you new to CPC and wondering what's next? Join us at Starting Point on Sunday, July 30 at 4 pm and learn how you can connect to the life and community of CPC! Register at yourcpc.church/events.





CONNECTION POINT PODCASTS

Looking to dig deeper or want to listen to the message on the go? Check out the Life on Point and Connection Point Messages on your favorite podcast providers! Scan the code below to access the resources!



NEW TO CPC?

If you're new to CPC, we have a gift just for you! Stop by the Next Steps Station in the lobby to claim your gift. Scan the **CODE** to let us know you're visiting today!













Acts 4:32-34 CSB—Now the entire group of those who believed were of one heart and mind, and no one claimed that any of his possessions was his own, but instead they held everything in common. With great power the apostles were giving testimony to the resurrection of the Lord Jesus, and great grace was on all of them. For there was not a needy person among them because all those who owned lands or houses sold them, brought the proceeds of what was sold.

"Common"–Greek is koina (koinania) "to , to hold things in common."

Our Code #5: Community Matters. We _____.

Living in community takes .

Shared traits of a Biblical Community.

1. We ______ the _____ of Jesus together.

Ephesians 3:8-This grace was given to me - the least of all the saints - to proclaim to the Gentiles the incalculable riches of Christ.

2 Corinthians 5:20—Therefore, we are ambassadors for Christ, since God is making his appeal through us. We plead on Christ's behalf, "Be reconciled to God."

2. We in God's together.

Ephesians 3:17-19—and that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith. I pray that you, being rooted and firmly established in love, 18may be able to comprehend with all the saints what is the length and width, height and depth of God's love, 19and to know Christ's love that surpasses knowledge, so that you may be filled with all the fullness of God.

3. We are ______ to _____ to gether.

Ephesians 4:11-12 – And he himself gave some to be apostles, some prophets, some evangelists, some pastors and teachers, 12to equip the saints for the work of ministry, to build up the body of Christ.

THE BIG TAKEAWAY:

Strong community disciples with one

another.

Ephesians 4:1-6—Therefore I, the prisoner in the Lord, urge you to walk worthy of the calling you have received, with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, making every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace. There is one body and one Spirit—just as you were called to one hope at your calling—one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all, who is above all and through all and in all.