

NWC Questions

for Personal Study and Small Groups - May 24, 2015

EVERY MEMBER A MINISTER

Passage: Ephesians 4:6-17

1. What is the significance of Christ being the gift-giver in vs. 7?
2. According to vs. 11, for what purpose has Christ gifted leaders in the church?
3. Verse 12 teaches that all the saints are in "ministry" regardless of where your paycheck comes from. So, what are your gifts and what is your ministry?
4. How do vss. 11-12 affect our view of the ministry of church leaders? Do we understand the pastors-teachers among us to be "superior" or simply "central" in the community of faith?
5. What are three areas of immaturity in your life that prevent you from 'growing up into Christ'? How will you take steps toward maturity in these areas?
6. What practical steps will you take to identify how Christ has uniquely gifted you to serve Him and His world?