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Topic: Keep the Unity!

Text: Ephesians 4:1-6

1. Every believer is called by the Lord to live as a Christian. We are also called to walk in unity and contribute to it. This call is not only for the pastors and elders, but for every believer. This unity is very precious and no one should endeavour to break it. As believers, we must help one another grow in the love and service of Christ.
2. The basis of our unity is that we are one body in Christ. Everyone who believes in the Christ of the Scripture is of the same body. Many claim to believe in Christ, but the true Christ of the Scripture is the one who gives us salvation. We also have the same Holy Spirit indwelling us which will prompt us to move in the same direction. The wrong basis of unity is based on earthly relationship and those we can get along with.
3. The way to keep this unity is to begin with a willing heart. Next, one must have humility, long suffering and forbearance. We are nothing before God because we are sinners. Therefore, we must show patience to others, just as God had shown us when we transgress against Him.
4. This unity is not human generated, but the Holy Spirit can bring about it as we pray for one another. There are both human responsibility and divine sovereignty involved.

Be united in the faith and in the Word of Christ.