

## **Prioritize Community: Preserving Unity**

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## The value system for a follower of Jesus includes a desire for deep unity with other believers

**1.** The Plea (vv. <u>4:1-3; 2:14</u>)

"Make every effort to keep..."

- Built by Jesus
- Requires our participation

- 2. The Purpose (Matthew 18:19-20; John 13:34-35)
  - "...the unity of the Spirit..."
    - The power for the Church
    - · A vision of Jesus for the world

## 3. The Process (Matthew 9:12-13)

- "...throught the bond of peace."
  - Up close and personal
  - Will be counter-cultural