

Family Sunday

March 5, 2023

Perfect Fit

"The only accurate way to understand ourselves is by what God is and by what he does for us, not by what we are and what we do for him. In this way we are like the various parts of a human body. Each part gets its meaning from the body as a whole, not the other way around. The body we're talking about is Christ's body of chosen people. Each of us finds our meaning and function as a part of his body. But as a chopped-off finger or cut-off toe we wouldn't amount to much, would we? So since we find ourselves fashioned into all these excellently formed and marvelously functioning parts in Christ's body, let's just go ahead and be what we were made to be, without enviously or pridefully comparing ourselves with each other, or trying to be something we aren't."

Romans 12:3b-8 (The Message)

1. Who am I?

A. God _____.

B. Part of a _____.

* Not _____.

C. Made to _____.

2. Where Do I _____?

* Community _____.

3. What Can I _____.

"Under his direction, the whole body is fitted together perfectly, and each part in its own special way helps the other parts, so that the whole body is healthy and growing and full of love."

Ephesians 4:16 (The Living Bible, Paraphrased)