



“Follow me. Jesus’ call was so simple, but His intention for His disciples was never to merely rest in observation of Him, but to learn from Him, to experience Him, to be transformed by Him, and, in some strange way, go out together and do the things He was doing in the world, bringing the Kingdom of Heaven to bear on the world.”

DATE	SCRIPTURE	PRAYER
9/12	“12 For just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ. 13 For in one Spirit we were all baptized into one body—Jews or Greeks, slaves or free—and all were made to drink of one Spirit.” 1 Cor. 12:12-13	<i>Father, we are a unified body, members of your body, that are called to love, cherish, and care for one another. We pray, Father, that you would forgive us for how we’ve caused division within your body and that you’d empower us to be able to be diverse and yet unified in you. Amen.</i>
9/13	“18 But as it is, God arranged the members in the body, each one of them, as he chose.” 1 Cor. 12:18	<i>“Lord you chose each of us to compliment one another in the body of Christ. We are unique, individual, and yet together as your body. You have ordained those that are weaker, those that are strong, etc. so that we could support and compliment one another. Each part is given gifts and circumstances as ordained by you. Remind us of this truth, Lord. Amen.”</i>
9/14	“19 If all were a single member, where would the body be?” 1 Cor. 12:19	<i>“Lord, we are diverse and yet unified in you. Help humble us when we desire that others be like we are or when we become envious of the gifts/abilities/circumstances/callings of others. Remind us that our diversity is for the benefit and blessing of the whole body. Amen.”</i>
9/15	“20 As it is, there are many parts, yet one body.” 1 Cor. 12:20	<i>“Lord, each part of your body is valuable, important, necessary for every other part and for the mission of the church. There is a place for every person in the Kingdom, remind me of that when I am annoyed or frustrated by others. Amen.”</i>
9/16	“22 On the contrary, the parts of the body that seem to be weaker are indispensable, 23 and on those parts of the body that we think less honorable we bestow the greater honor, and our unpresentable parts are treated with greater modesty, 24 which our more presentable parts do not require.” 1 Cor. 12:22-24a	<i>“Lord, it can feel like it is a burden for the strong to care for the weak, but in caring for the weak, the whole body is made strong, is encouraged. Your Spirit breathes vitality and life into the body through the body’s care for one another. Help us not to see caring for one another as a burden, but as a blessing, an opportunity to love the body of Christ well. Amen.”</i>

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9/17	<i>“But God has so composed the body, giving greater honor to the part that lacked it, 25 that there may be no division in the body, but that the members may have the same care for one another.” 1 Cor. 12:24b-25</i>	<i>“Lord, we divide ourselves so often by positions, by gifts, by struggles, by sins, by our stories, and so many other things. Please forgive us for forgetting that in you, we are one. Remind us, Lord, that we are of the same body and to have the same care for one another. Amen.”</i>
9/18	<i>“26 If one member suffers, all suffer together; if one member is honored, all rejoice together.” 1 Cor. 12:26</i>	<i>"Lord, remind us that we are in this together, the good and the bad, the wonderful and the difficult. When one part is honored, we all rejoice together! May we care for those that need care and celebrate those who are experiencing honor. Keep us from jealousy or frustration with one another. Remind us that we are one in you. Amen."</i>