

– John 13:31-35; Eph 3:14-19 –

Love Sermon 12

Love in the Life and Mission of the Church

John 13:34 A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another; as I have loved you, that you also love one another. 35 By this all will know that you are My disciples, if you have love for one another.”

Ephesians 3:14 For this reason I bow my knees to the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, 15 from whom the whole family in heaven and earth is named, 16 that He would grant you, according to the riches of His glory, to be strengthened with might through His Spirit in the inner man, 17 that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith; that you, being rooted and grounded in love, 18 may be able to comprehend with all the saints what is the width and length and depth and height—19 to know the love of Christ which passes knowledge; that you may be filled with all the fullness of God.

(1) Love is our ...

– Making the world Jesus' disciples involves ...

– To transform the world, we must first ...

– What Jesus commands in a word is ...

– Jesus says that we are to love one another ...

– Love is not just how we do what we do ...

– There is no such thing as reaching the world apart from ...

– Paul, the greatest missionary, spends so much time on ...

– Over half the book of Ephesians is about ...

– To Paul, the life of the church boils down to ...

(2) Love is our ...

– How do we convince the world that we have the truth?

(3) Love is our ...

– If we want to love like Jesus, we must love ...

– The ante for life in the church is ...

(4) Love is our ...

– What affects everything?

– When people come in our midst, Jesus wants them to notice ...

– What's the cake, and what's the icing?

– If we don't love one another, it says to the unbeliever ...

(5) Love is our ...

– 1John 3:14 talks about ... which is essential to ...

– Many times our discontent is because ...