Application

Memory Verse: *"And let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works, not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near."* – Hebrews 10:24-25 (ESV)

How can you encourage and inspire a brother or sister in Christ this week? Who do you think would benefit from hearing what God is teaching you?

Other Scripture: Psalm 149; Matthew 28:18-20; Acts 2:41-47; Romans 10:14-17; 1 Corinthians 11-14; Ephesians 5:18-21; Colossians 3:1-16; Hebrews 10:19-25; Revelation 7:9-12

Prayer

Personal:

• Help me, Lord, to put this one thing into practice this week from today's lesson.

For others:

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9.29.19 | Why and How Does the Church Gather? |
Hebrews 10:24-25

Sermon-based
STUDY GUIDE

SMALL GROUPS

Group Connections

1. Introduce new attenders.
2. Catch up with one other.
3. Open in prayer.

Getting Started

What is your favorite memory of a church gathering? Why was that moment so special?

Digging Deeper

BIG idea: The church gathering, large and small, is essential but not sufficient for growing as followers of Jesus.

1. Think back to the first time you ever went to a church gathering. Why did you go?

2. Why do you come to Sunday gatherings now? How have your reasons for coming changed, if they have, from what they used to be?

3. Read Hebrews 10:19-25. According to verses 24-25, what are some of the purposes of gathering?

4. What are some ways that you are "stirred up to love and good works" when you gather with other Jesus followers?

5. Take a few minutes to pray and reflect on the season of life that you are in right now. What would you say is the main thing that God is teaching you right now?

6. How can you encourage and inspire a brother or sister in Christ this week? Who do you think would benefit from hearing what God is teaching you?