

# WEEK 4 – Involvement with the Church

## LESSON OUTLINE

### BIG IDEA

Church involvement means working together to put others first.

### BIBLE

1 Corinthians 9:24-27; Acts 2:42-47

### ABOUT THIS WEEK

This week we'll see how being part of the church is more than just showing up on Sundays. The early church devoted themselves to teaching, fellowship, meals, prayer, and generosity—and God used that to grow His kingdom. When we make church involvement a priority, we learn to put others first and invite people into the story of Jesus..

WHAT?	The church is God’s family, where believers worship, learn, serve, and grow together. Acts 2:42–47 shows the first Christians committed to teaching, fellowship, breaking bread, prayer, generosity, and hospitality. Being involved in the church is about practicing love and living on mission together.
SO WHAT?	Faith was never meant to be lived in isolation. When we step back from church, we miss out on encouragement, accountability, and opportunities to serve others. But when we invest in the church, we experience community, grow in spiritual maturity, and help others encounter Jesus.
NOW WHAT?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Make attending and participating in church a consistent priority.</li><li>• Go out of your way to encourage and serve others in the church family.</li><li>• Invite friends into church life so they can see the love of Christ in community.</li><li>• Practice hospitality and generosity, reflecting the example of the early church.</li></ul>