Dig Deeper

For *Pictures of A Christian Life: A Member in Christ's Body* June 8, 2025

Romans 12:1-8

1.	What did David mean by a "one-dimensional view" of the Christian life, and how has this perspective impacted your own faith journey?
2.	How does the cultural emphasis on "self"/expressive individualism and "rugged individualism" conflict with the Biblical concept of being "members one of another" in Christ's body?
3.	In what ways does pride manifest in our approach to faith and community? How does the metaphor of the body address this issue?
4.	What might interconnected and interdependent community look like today?
5.	Pastor David mentioned that being part of Christ's body provides purpose. What purpose is this? Do you agree? How does using one's gifts to serve others contribute to this sense of purpose?
6.	What might be the consequences of trying to follow Jesus independently, without the support of a church community?

7. How did this message challenge the notion of a privatized faith, and what

practical steps does it suggest for leaning into community?