April 19, 2020 Sermon Notes

Title: Do Church Right: Communion

Text: 1 Cor 11:17-34

Organizational sentence:

When taking communion, Paul wants us to consider 3 relationships.

Outline:

1. Consider the Church – Part 1.. (17-22)
	1. Unity in truth. (17-19)
	2. Equality. (20-22)
2. Consider the Lord. (23-26)
	1. The Lord’s example. (23-25)
	2. The Lord’s death. (26)
3. Consider yourself. (27-32)
	1. Doctrine (27-28)
	2. Division (29-30)
	3. Discipline (31-32)
4. Consider the Church – Part 2 (33-34)
	1. Purpose for gathering
	2. Presence of everybody
	3. Physical necessities

Bottom Line:

Communion is like spiritual house cleaning – a chance to consider the church, the Lord, and ourselves, and then to repent as necessary.