



The Church Together

Questions for Discussion

If your family includes children of varying ages, consider rewording the questions to help your child better understand what's being asked.

1. In 1 Corinthians 12, the church is compared to a body, which is one unit made up of diverse parts. Talk about how you see “unity in diversity” at Shades?

For Children: How is your nose different from your mouth? How is your hand different from your foot? God's church brings different people together to do His work.

2. Discuss the difference between “interdependence” and “independence.” How can you work toward healthy interdependence in your community at Shades?
3. What are you passionate about? What life experiences can you leverage for the good of others in the church? How might you use your gifts in ministry at Shades?

For Children: How do you see people in the church serve in different ways? (some people are Sunday School leaders, some people like to help others, some people are great at encouraging, etc.) Can you think of ways you can serve at church?

Ideas to Live Sent

Everyone can minister to someone! Ministry happens in both personal ways and in community with others. This week, look for ways to personally minister to those around you.

You can also visit [shades.org/volunteer](https://www.shades.org/volunteer) to minister with others through the options listed. You were made for ministry!

