



## Stir Up in Love to Move Forward

Lesson Thirty-Six • Hebrews 10:24-25

**Ch 10:19–13:25 | What Should We Do Now? MOVE FORWARD with Conviction in Community!**

*Let us draw near without fear by faith! (10:22; Ch 11) Let us hold fast to the last in hope! (10:23; Ch 12)*

*Let us stir up to keep up with love! (10:25; Ch 13)*

- What's the **same** in verses 24-25 and what's **different**?

### To Keep Moving Forward to God's Final Rest and Our Future Salvation...

Let Us DRAW NEAR Without FEAR by FAITH | Hebrews 10:19-22

Let Us HOLD FAST to the LAST *with* HOPE | Hebrews 10:23

Let Us STIR UP to KEEP UP in LOVE | Hebrews 10:24-25

### Assembly Is REQUIRED to Stir Up in Love!

Assembly is required to stir up one another to love and good works, so we all keep up as the Day draws ever nearer!

(Keep drawing near to one another because the Day of His drawing near is fast approaching!)

### Three Reasons Why Assembly Is Required

#### 1. To MOTIVATE One Another to Love and Good Works.

*"and let us consider how to stimulate one another to love and good deeds...." 10:24*

#### The Delight and Duty of Believer-Priests

- To SHOW our love *for* one another by doing good *to* one another.

Love is the **motive** and good works are the **manifestation!**

- To STIR UP one another in this process.

*"Be positive irritants." – R. Kent Hughes*

- To SPEND TIME reflecting together how to keep doing this for one another personally and congregationally.

## 2. To MEET WITH One Another in Worship and Fellowship.

*"not forsaking our own assembling together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another...." 10:25*

- Your **PRESENCE** is required to assemble together.
- Your **PARTICIPATION** is required to encourage one another.

*"We cannot endure in isolation. Each Christian desperately needs the body of believers for encouragement. To obtain assurance, we need continual reminding from other saints." – Albert Mohler*

## 3. To MANIFEST Our Hope in Christ's Soon Return.

*"and all the more as you see the day drawing near." 10:25*

*"Each local church, as it gathers, shouts a defiant "No!" to the Christ-defying culture around it." – John Gillespie*

### Our Assembling Together on the Lord's Day

- **PICTURES** His assembling us together on the Day of the Lord. *2 Thessalonians 2:1-2*  
*"Now we request you, brethren, **with regard to the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ and our gathering together to Him**, that you not be quickly shaken from your composure or be disturbed either by a spirit or a message or a letter as if from us, to the effect that the day of the Lord has come." 2 Thessalonians 2:1-2*
- **PROMOTES** our desire to physically assemble with all God's people in the coming Kingdom. *Hebrews 12:22-24*  
*"But **you have come** (lit. "have drawn near") to Mount Zion and to the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem, and to myriads of angels, **to the general assembly and church of the firstborn** who are enrolled in heaven, and to God, the Judge of all, and to the spirits of the righteous made perfect, and to Jesus, the mediator of a new covenant, and to the sprinkled blood, which speaks better than the blood of Abel." Hebrews 12:22-24*
- **PURIFIES** us while there's still time to grow to maturity before the Day comes. *Hebrews 6:9-12; 12:14; 13:1-9, 17; 1 John 3:2-3*
- **PREPARES** us to persevere in keeping up and moving forward until the Day comes. *Hebrews 3:12-15; 12:12-17; 13:7, 17, 20-21*
- **PROMPTS** us to invite others to become Kingdom people before it's too late. *Hebrews 13:10-16*

### **Assembly Required! Stir Up One Another to Keep Up in Love as the Day Draws Near!**

*"The New Testament lends no support to the idea of lone Christians. Close and regular fellowship with other believers is not just a nice idea, but an absolute necessity for the encouragement of Christian values." – Donald Guthrie*

## Final Division Hebrews 10:19–13:25 | MOVE FORWARD with CONVICTION in COMMUNITY to GOD'S FINAL REST!

**Message of 10:19-25 | Boldly Draw Near to the Heavenly Holy of Holies as Believer-Priests to Move Forward to God's Final Rest!**  
*Based on What We Publicly Confess & Already Possess in Our Priest-King's Better Sacrifice & Greater Priesthood, We Boldly, Continually, Personally & Congregationally Answer God's Call to Worship!*

<p>Since <b>WE ALREADY POSSESS</b> <b>WHAT WE PUBLICLY CONFESS...</b> 10:19-21</p>	<p><b>LET US DRAW NEAR</b> <b>WITHOUT FEAR by FAITH!</b> 10:22 / Ch 11</p>	<p><b>LET US HOLD FAST</b> <b>to the LAST with HOPE!</b> 10:23 / Ch 12</p>	<p><b>LET US STIR UP</b> <b>to KEEP UP in LOVE!</b> 10:24-25 / Ch 13</p>
<p><b>The Goal</b> <b>ENTER the MOST HOLY PLACE</b> <i>for Making a Pilgrim's Progress...</i></p>	<p><b>WORSHIP TOGETHER</b> <b>in God's PRESENCE</b> <i>Making Upward Progress!</i></p>	<p><b>WITNESS TOGETHER</b> <b>with PERSEVERANCE</b> <i>Making Outward Progress!</i></p>	<p><b>WALK TOGETHER</b> <b>on PURPOSE</b> <i>Making Inward Progress</i> <i>All the More as the Day Draws Nearer!</i></p>
<p><b>The Manner</b> <b>ENTER BOLDLY and HUMBLY</b></p>	<p><b>CONFIDENTLY</b> <b>Without FEARING</b> <i>Any Divine Rejection!</i></p>	<p><b>CONTINUALLY</b> <b>Without FALTERING</b> <i>Under Human Persecution!</i></p>	<p><b>CONSISTENTLY</b> <b>Without FORSAKING</b> <i>Our Priestly Vocation!</i></p>
<p><b>The Means</b> <b>ENTER by the NEW and LIVING WAY</b> <b>by JESUS' SHED BLOOD</b> <i>Access Granted by New Covenant Inauguration!</i> <i>Authorization Given through the Veil of Separation!</i></p>	<p><b>A PRACTICING FAITH!</b></p>	<p><b>A PERSEVERING HOPE!</b></p>	<p><b>A PROVOKING LOVE!</b></p>
<p><b>The Basis</b> <b>JESUS' BETTER BLOOD SACRIFICE</b> <b>as the GREATER PRIEST-KING</b> <i>What He Did for Us &amp; Who He Has Become for Us!</i> <i>The Eternal Priest-King Over God's House:</i> <i>We Are God's Family &amp; Royal Priesthood!</i></p>	<p><b>SINCERE HEARTS</b> <b>FULL ASSURANCE</b> <b>COMPLETE CLEANSING</b> <i>Internally &amp; Externally</i></p>	<p><b>HOPE'S CERTAINTY</b> <i>based on</i> <b>GOD'S FIDELITY</b></p>	<p><b>ASSEMBLY REQUIRED:</b> <b>TO MOTIVATE ONE ANOTHER</b> <i>with a Provoking Love</i> <b>TO MEET with ONE ANOTHER</b> <i>by a Practicing Faith!</i> <b>TO MANIFEST with ONE ANOTHER</b> <i>a Persevering Hope in Christ's Soon</i> <i>Return and Our Final Salvation!</i></p>

**Doctrinal Confessions Become Personal & Congregational Convictions Through Practical Application!**