

Body Language

1 Corinthians 6:12-20

The local church is where people serve and glorify God bodily through faith in Christ.

The local church is the place where God;

1. has a purpose for our bodies. v12-14, Matthew 5:27–30, James 1:14–15
2. has a plan for our bodies. v15-18, Romans 8:9, John 14:16
3. has a purchase price for our bodies. v19-20, 1 Peter 1:18–19, Ephesians 2:10

Philippians 2:12-13

Therefore, my beloved, as you have always obeyed, so now, not only as in my presence but much more in my absence, work out your own salvation with fear and trembling, for it is God who works in you, both to will and to work for his good pleasure.

Temptation may even be a blessing to a man when it reveals to him his weakness and drives him to the almighty Savior. Do not be surprised, then, dear child of God, if you are tempted at every step of your earthly journey, and almost beyond endurance; but you will not be tempted beyond what you are able to bear, and with every temptation there will be a way of escape.

~F.B. Meyer~

1847 – 1929, British Baptist pastor, author, and evangelist deeply devoted to inner city mission work. He preached against drunkenness and prostitution and is said to have brought about the closing of hundreds of saloons and brothels. He also played an important part in the beginnings of the Welsh revival of 1903 by holding Keswick meetings that pledged to spend at least one day a month praying for revival.