

**WEEK 8 - The Church — One, Holy, Universal, Apostolic****Creed Focus:** We believe in one holy universal and apostolic Church...new birth...one Baptism...**Big Idea:** The Church is Christ's body unified by the Spirit, set apart in holiness, and sent on mission.**Day 1 – I Believe in the Church****Scripture:** Matthew 16:18, Acts 2:47, Ephesians 5:25, Colossians 1:28**Core Truth:** The Church is not a building or brand but the redeemed people Christ is building — imperfect yet called and sustained by Him.**Reflection:** How has your experience shaped your view of the Church — and how does Christ's love for the Church reshape it?**Day 2 – I Believe in the One, Holy Church****Scripture:** John 17:20–23, Galatians 3:28, Ephesians 4:1–5, 2 Corinthians 5:21**Core Truth:** Christian unity is grounded in shared faith in Christ, and holiness flows from the righteousness He gives us.**Reflection:** Where might God be calling you to protect unity or pursue holiness within your local church?**Day 3 – I Believe in the Universal and Apostolic Church\*\*****Scripture:** Ephesians 1:22–23, Ephesians 2:19–21, Matthew 16:18, Acts 2:42**Core Truth:** The Church is universal across time and culture, and apostolic because it is built on the teaching of Christ's commissioned witnesses.**Reflection:** How does belonging to a global, historic Church shape your sense of identity and mission?**Day 4 – I Believe in the New Birth and One Baptism****Scripture:** John 3:3–6, Ephesians 1:13, 1 Corinthians 12:13, Acts 1:8**Core Truth:** Entrance into the Church is not inherited or earned — it comes through regeneration by the Spirit, who seals and empowers every believer.**Reflection:** How does remembering your new birth in Christ renew your gratitude and boldness?**Day 5 – If This Is True, Then...****Scripture:** Revelation 21:2, John 14:16–17, Acts 2:42–47**Core Truth:** If the Church is Christ's bride, Spirit-filled and apostolically grounded, then unity, devotion, and mission are not optional—they are our calling.**Reflection:** What practical step could you take this week to strengthen unity, pursue holiness, or serve Christ's body?