



## **Shelby Christian Church**

**WE OVER ME: THE POWER OF "WE" \* ECCLESIASTES 4:9–12, HEBREWS 10:24–25  
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**Describe a time when you tried to handle something on your own, only to realize it would have been far easier if you had asked for help. What keeps us from reaching out, even when we know we need support?**

**What risks do we face when we try to navigate life's challenges in isolation? How would you describe the purpose of the church in light of these ideas?**

**HAVE A VOLUNTEER READ ECCLESIASTES 4:9–12**

**What stands out to you most in this passage about companionship and support?**

**Why can't a football team succeed with just one great player? The text contrasts being alone with being "two" or "three." What do you think the author is trying to emphasize?**

**Can you think of a time when someone "lifted you up" when you fell — emotionally, spiritually, or practically? Where have you seen teamwork strengthen faith? How does this passage challenge the way our culture often celebrates independence and self-sufficiency?**

**HAVE A VOLUNTEER READ HEBREWS 10:24–25**

**Why do you think Paul consistently uses the first-person plural ("we") in this passage, and what does that reveal about the nature of Christian community?**

**In what ways do Paul's instructions echo the principles Solomon described in Ecclesiastes 4:9–12? How can believers actively motivate and spur one another on when they gather together? What are some meaningful ways Christians can offer encouragement outside of formal church meetings?**

## **APPLICATION**

**In 1 Corinthians 10:13, Paul says that God has provided us with a way of escape so that we don't have to give in to Satan's temptations. One of these is through the involvement of other Christians in our struggles.**

**Why does God put so much emphasis on community?**

**What is the most loving thing you can do when you see a brother or sister caught in ongoing sin?**

**What can happen to our witness if we are not holding each other accountable or being held accountable ourselves?**

## **PRAYER**