**The Value of Fellowship**

John 17:13-26

**I. The theology of fellowship**

Fellowship is not about what we \_\_\_\_\_\_ as much as it’s about \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ we are (in Christ) and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ we know (the Father).

Christ prayed that the glory he would give his church would make them \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ one.

Fellowship is rooted in our \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ position in Jesus Christ.

Fellowship is not simply extracurricular activities on a calendar, but our very \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in Christ.

**II. The work of fellowship**

We are called to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the unity in peace.

Without fellowship, the church will fall away from the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

Fellowship is important since God is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ his glory through the church.

Our \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in evangelism is dependent on how well we guard the fellowship of the church that Christ has established.

**Application**

1. Pray and seek for a renewed heart in Christ for the church.

2. Pray and seek for opportunities to serve one another.

3. Pray for the fellowship of MVC so unbelievers can witness the glory of God through us.