

Why Study About the Church?

(1) The Church is a Bible subject

(2) Christ died for the Church

- Acts 20:28
- Ephesians 5:25

(4) The Church has a relationship to the saved

- Acts 2:47

(4) The Church is going to be delivered up to Heaven

- 1 Corinthians 15:24

(5) To distinguish the Lord's Church from man-made denominations

(6) To show the Church proper respect as the bride of Christ

- Revelation 22:17



(7) To teach and enlighten Christians who do not properly understand the importance of the Church

(8) To teach and enlighten non-Christians who are not knowledgeable about the Church

(9) To encourage others to obey the gospel of Christ, thus enabling Him to add them to the Church that He is going to gather unto the Father

(10) To teach its members so that they in turn might teach others

(11) To clarify and refute misconceptions about the Church

(12) To please God by declaring this portion of His whole counsel

- Acts 20:27