



Desert Springs  
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Together to  
Know, Grow  
& Go with  
Jesus!

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## “Let’s Get Together”

week #2: **Affirming Together** 1 Thessalonians 5:11

We’re to \_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_  
1 Thessalonians 5:11

### Why?

The existence of our \_\_\_\_\_

because there’s a \_\_\_\_\_

and no one’s an \_\_\_\_\_ .

### How?

C \_\_\_\_\_

S \_\_\_\_\_

R \_\_\_\_\_

Be \_\_\_\_\_

Group Study / Personal Reflection

week of 9/17/23

## Questions for Application

### Focus: Coming Together as the Church

- 1) Describe a time you needed encouragement or support in your life. What were you facing? Were there individuals who supported you in your situation? What meant the most?
  
- 2) Describe a time you provided encouragement or support to another person needing it. How did you help them? What do you think meant the most in what they faced?
  
- 3) What are some needs in your life that cannot be met without others? Who do you rely upon? Who relies upon you?
  
- 4) How can you be available to support and encourage others in the Body of Christ – the Church? In what ways are you getting involved in the lives of others?
  
- 5) Looking at 1 Thessalonians 5:11, how would you describe God’s command to “encourage” and “build up” others?
  
- 6) How do you seek support within the Church during times of need?