

## Sermon: I Love My Church

### Bible Verses: Psalm 84

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1. We should not \_\_\_\_\_ the assembling of ourselves together as the day of the Lord's return draws. (Hebrews 10:25)
2. The man in the parable bought the field and got the treasure. \_\_\_\_\_ is the treasure, \_\_\_\_\_ is the field. (Matthew 13:44)
3. Psalm 84 is written by a person who \_\_\_\_\_ to be in Church.
4. The Church is the place where sparrows and lost sheep find a \_\_\_\_\_. (Psalm 84:3)
5. Like the swallows, the best place to raise a \_\_\_\_\_ is in Church. (Psalm 84:3)
6. Church is the place where we learn to \_\_\_\_\_ the Lord together. (Psalm 84:4)
7. The Church is where we join \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ in the Way, the Truth and the Life Jesus gives us. (Psalm 84:5)
8. The Church is the place where I find \_\_\_\_\_ from others in the trials and tribulations of this life. (Psalm 84:5-6)
9. The Church is the place where I join fellow \_\_\_\_\_ in growing in Christ. (Psalm 84:7)
10. The Church is where I find my place to \_\_\_\_\_. (Psalm 84:10)
11. The Lord God is a sun and shield and He gives grace and glory. The Church is a place where we receive revelation, protection through \_\_\_\_\_, teaching of \_\_\_\_\_ in Christ, and glory through His presence in worship. (Psalm 84:11)

#### ANSWERS:

1. forsake, 2. Jesus; the church, 3. loves, 4. home, 5. family, 6. worship, 7. fellow sojourners, 8. encouragement, 9. disciples, 10. serve, 11. prayer; grace

### Questions to Ponder

1. Read Psalm 84 and questions 3 through 11, have you experienced these things by going to Church? Can you give an example?
2. Why do you think people today in America are attending Church less?