



**Sunday, September 19, 2021**

***“Come On In and Encourage  
One Another”***

**Text: Hebrews 10:24-25**

**Guest Speaker:  
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**Big Idea:** Through Jesus, the “**warning sign**” that once stood in front of God’s holy throne has been replaced with a comforting “**welcome mat**”.

**Five things an authentic church body should keep on doing together:**

- 1) Let’s keep on **approaching** God. (Hebrews 10:19-22)
  - Through Christ I can approach God with a **true heart**.
  - Through Christ I can approach God with **assurance** of faith.
  - Through Christ I can approach God with a **clean conscience**.
  - Through Christ I can approach God with **pure motives**.
- 2) Let’s keep on **persevering** in hope.  
(Hebrews 10:23)
- 3) Let’s keep on **motivating** one another.  
(Hebrews 10:24)
- 4) Let’s keep on **connecting**.  
(Hebrews 10:25a)
  - In light of the second coming of Christ, the book of Hebrews says, get busy and keep **waiting with intention**.

**Study/Application Questions and Actions:**

- 1) Share about a time when you anticipated being overlooked, but instead you were welcomed. How did you feel and then respond?
- 2) With which of these four “approaches” to God do you find most difficult; approaching with true heart, assurance of faith, clean conscience or pure motives?
- 3) In order to persevere in hope, we must keep our eyes on Christ, not on our circumstances. What are some practical ways to practice that?
- 4) What loving actions have other believers recently done that have most encouraged and motivated you to keep on serving God?
- 5) Name some eternal benefits for believers, not giving up on meeting together, even during this modern age when church attendance is declining?