

Living Together in  
Gracious Community  
1 Cor. 12:12-26

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THE BIG IDEA

The church is a living organism made up of many parts—all of which are indispensable to the purposes of God.

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I. Appreciate the oneness of God's design (vv. 12-14).

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II. Avoid the two ditches of self-focus (vv. 15-24).

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Avoid two ditches

- “I am less gifted and, therefore, not an important part of the church.”

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Avoid two ditches

- “I am less gifted and, therefore, not an important part of the church.”
- “I am more gifted and, therefore, a more important part of the church.”

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III. Adopt the attitude of living in gracious community (v. 26).

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