

# Sermon Supplement from July 2

## We Are Family

### Warm Up

- What are different ways people use the term “family”?
- What are some positive and some negative connotations of family?
- What does family mean to you?

### Dig In

Read each of the following verses as well as their context and talk about what each teaches you about the Church as a Family.

1. Ephesians 2:19
2. 1 Timothy 3:15
3. Galatians 6:10
4. 1 Peter 4:17

### Apply

- What do you think of the phrase, “Where Guests become Friends and Friends become Family”?
- According to what you have learned from this study, what are some specific steps you can take to be a more healthy and productive member of the Family of God?

### Further Study on the Church as Family

- When the Church Was A Family by Joseph H. Hellerman is a great introduction to this much neglected topic.