

Be Established in Faith and Unity

by Ignatius of Antioch

Ignatius of Antioch emphasizes the importance of being established in faith and unity, submitting to authority, and striving for harmony in the community.

Scripture: 1 Corinthians 15:58, Ephesians 4:3, Philippians 2:2, Colossians 2:7, 1 Peter 5:5

Topics: "Church Unity", "Faith Formation"

Description

Ignatius of Antioch emphasizes the importance of being firmly established in the teachings of the Lord and the apostles to prosper in all aspects of life, both physically and spiritually, in faith and love. He encourages submission to the bishop and to one another, drawing parallels to the submission of Christ to the Father, aiming for unity according to God among believers.

Transcript

Study, therefore, to be established in the doctrines of the Lord and the apostles, that so all things, whatsoever ye do, may prosper, both in the flesh and spirit, in faith and love, with your most admirable bishop, and the well-compacted spiritual crown of your presbytery, and the deacons who are according to God. Be ye subject to the bishop, and to one another, as Christ to the Father. that there may be a unity according to God among you.

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