# **PART VIII: The Church and Revelations**

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#### LAST WEEK'S PRACTICE.

Last week's practice was that your actions reflected your commitment to Jesus. That you can start making the necessary changes in your lifestyle, habits, and actions, to demonstrate your commitment

- Who would like to tell about their experience with the practice of the week?
- How has your relationship with Jesus been improving

#### RESUMEN.

The church, as God established it, is not a place. The church is a community, a group of people, a family to belong. And a true church has three fundamental characteristics: a church that protects, that shines, and that defeats

What did the Holy Spirit speak to you (or got your attention) about Sunday's teaching?

#### Colossians 1:15-18

- Why is it so important to know that Jesus is the head of the church?
- How does it help you to know that the church is the body of Jesus, who is the head?

#### PRACTICE AS A COMMUNITY.

If the church is a family of people, it means that there is a lot of imperfection, failures, and even pain. But it is our family, and even more important, it is the family that God chose for us. That is why we must do everything necessary to protect, light up, and defeat, together with our family of faith.

#### **First**

- · Write in your own words what it means to you
  - A that church protects:
  - o A that church lights up:
  - o A that church defeats:

## Second

Now take 30 seconds and ask the Holy Spirit to show you a person for whom you should do what you
wrote above

## **Third**

• Now write down what **you are going to do (specifically), when, and to who.** To show that you are part of a church that protects, lights up, and defeats.

## THIS WEEK'S PRACTICE

The practice for the week is to go out and be the church that Jesus has called you to be. To practice and carry out what you wrote for that person. Let the Holy Spirit use you this week to be the church for that person he showed you

# Before finishing

- Why do you think it is so important that each of us go out and do what the Holy Spirit told us to do?
- What do you think could happen if this week instead of focusing on your own problems and needs, you go out to be the church that Jesus has called you to be?