

Paul has presented the three types of people: the spiritual man, the natural man, and the carnal man. He has dealt with the carnal man and the results of carnality. He now reviews a Biblical Church and how it is supposed to operate.

I. The Ministry Articulated

- A. God is in control (Lit. “God’s co-workers”)
- B. We are co-laborers

II. The Metaphor from Agriculture (“husbandry” – a cultivated field)

- A. Dependency (v.6b)
- B. Productivity (II Tim. 2:6)

III. The Metaphor from Architecture (Eph. 2:19-22)

- A. The church is under construction
- B. The church is a unique Temple