Awake: The Call to Renewal **Return to Unity** Acts 4:23-35

"Your love for one another will prove to the world that you are my disciples." - John 13:35

"Then make me truly happy by agreeing wholeheartedly with each other, loving one another, and working together with one mind and purpose." - Philippians 2:2

What Unites Us?

(1) God v24, "When they heard the report, all the believers lifted their voices together in prayer to God: "O Sovereign Lord..."

Shaking - (See Exodus 19 and Isaiah 6)

Ephesians 4:3, "Make every effort to keep yourselves united in the Spirit, binding yourselves together with peace."

(2) Single

v29, "And now, O Lord, hear their threats, and give us, your servants, great boldness..."

(3) Special

 $\sqrt{24}$, "When they heard the report, all the believers lifted their voices together..."

(4) Sanctified _____

The primary role is ______ and _____ of the Church.

v35, "...and bring the money to the apostles to give to those in need." v35 (NIV), "and put it at the apostles' feet, and it was distributed to anyone who had need."

See 1 Peter 5:1-4

Final Thought: _____ is the _____ of God to His church; preserving unity is the _____ of the _____ to a lost and dying world.