

## Is Attendance Commanded Beyond Sunday Morning Service?

- Understanding the nature of commandments:
  - Some commands in the negative, "thou shall not". Exam. Exo. 20:3-5
  - Some commands in the positive, "thou shall".
     Exam. Exo. 20:8, 12
  - With any command, the opposite of it is also true and implied. Exam. John 14:15; 15:14

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- Some things to remember about the nature and reason for our assemblies:
  - It always has been an important part of worship to God. Neh. 10:39b; Luke 4:16
  - It is a way to receive spiritual nourishment. 1 Pet. 2:2-3; Matt. 4:4; 5:6; Ps. 119:72
  - It helps us enrich our Christian lives. Col. 1:9-12; James 1:21; 2 Pet. 1:5-11

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- Some things to remember about the nature and reason for our assemblies:
  - The brethren need my assistance. Eph. 4:11-16
  - It shows others the importance God plays in my life. Rom. 1:14; Matt. 5:13-16
  - God has commanded us not to forsake our assembling.
     Heb. 10:25

## An attitude worthy of imitation:

One thing I have asked from the LORD, that I shall seek:
That I may dwell in the house of the LORD all the days of my life, to behold the beauty of the LORD and to meditate in His temple.

Ps. 27:4



