

“God’s Party (3): YouTube YouToo”
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- Hebrews 10:24, 25 is God’s strongest YouTube YouToo _____ anywhere in Scripture!
 - ◆ The motto of Google’s YouTube is “Broadcast Yourself”—the motto of God’s YouTube is “_____ Yourself.”
 - ◆ “The assembling of ourselves together” is just one word in the Greek—*episunagogue*: *epi* means “at” and *sunagoge* means “gathering together” (from which comes, “_____”).
 - ◆ Clearly this word describes a gathering together for _____, the underlying reason for a synagogue.
 - Acts 13:14, 42, 44
 - Acts 17:2
 - Acts 18:4
 - Throughout the New Testament Jews and Christians worshiped together on the same _____ and often in the same _____.
 - ◆ Hebrews 4:4, 9, 10
 - v. 9 is the only place in the NT this Greek word for “rest” appears—*sabbatismos*—a technical term appearing in extra-biblical literature to describe “_____ -keeping.”
 - The NIV correctly translates it, “There remains, then, a Sabbath-rest for the people of God.”
 - The writer of Hebrews is urging that just as God did, so we too must also rest from our _____ on the seventh day Sabbath.
 - Erhard Gallos’ doctoral research is suggesting that in chapters 4 and 10 the writer of Hebrews is appealing to his readers to neither give up the _____ of Sabbath rest (ch 4) nor the _____ of Sabbath worship (ch 10).
 - So the appeal of Hebrews 10:25 for Christians is: Let us not give up coming _____ to _____ God on the _____ day.
- And the key word is “_____”.
 - ◆ C. S. Lewis: “ . . . [if] there is anything in the teaching of the New Testament which is in the nature of a command, it is that you are obliged to [celebrate the communion], and you can’t do it without going to Church. I disliked very much their hymns, which I considered to be fifth-rate poems set to sixth-rate music. But as I went on I saw the great merit of it. I came up against different people of quite different outlooks and different education, and then gradually my conceit just began peeling off. I realized that the hymns (which were just sixth-rate music) were, nevertheless, being sung with devotion and benefit by an old saint in elastic-side boots in the opposite pew, and then you realize that you aren’t fit to clean those boots. It gets you out of your solitary _____.” (*God in the Dock* 62)

- ◆ The communal _____ of the Sabbath is to be experienced in the communal _____ of worship—“_____.”
 - ◆ Because God is _____ on communal worship.
 - Leviticus 23:3 NLT—“You may work for six days each week, but on the seventh day all work must come to a complete stop. It is the LORD's Sabbath day of complete rest, a holy day to _____ for worship. It must be observed wherever you live.”
 - His favorite YouTube Sabbath picture is a _____ portrait.
 - “Where two or three are gathered _____ in My name, I am there in the midst of them” (Matthew 18:20).
 - ◆ Isaiah 66:22, 23—“From one Sabbath to another, _____ flesh [in the new earth] shall come to worship before Me [forever and ever],’ says the LORD.”
- Remember—if you want to be in the portrait then, you've got to be in the group picture _____!
- ◆ What is the capital-D Day v 25 is referring to?
 - ◆ Hebrews 10:37—“He who is coming will come and will not tarry.”
 - ◆ The closer the _____ of Christ draws to us, the closer we must draw to each other on Christ's _____ .
 - ◆ Corporate worship is linked to personal _____ .

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 It's time to come back
 To the group portrait of worship*

invitation, Bring, synagogue, worship, Sabbath, synagogue, Sabbath, work, day, way, together, worship, Sabbath, together, conceit, Day, way, together, BIG, assemble, group, together, all, now, Day, Day, readiness