

**CONTRAST OF LOCAL CHURCH  
AND BODY OF CHRIST**

<b>LOCAL CHURCH</b>	<b>BODY OF CHRIST</b>
1. Composed of saved and lost membership: 2 Corinthians 13:5-6	1. 100% regenerated membership: 1 Corinthians 12:13
2. Found in the plural: Galatians 1:2, Acts 16:5	2. Body of Christ is never plural: Ephesians 4:4, 5:30
3. Ends apostate: Revelation 3:14-20	3. Ends in glory: Ephesians 4:30, Colossians 3:4
4. Are organizations: Titus 1:5	4. Is an organism: Ephesians 5:30
5. Works needed to join: Baptism, Present yourself	5. Joined at salvation by grace: Ephesians 2:8-9
6. Sinful: 1 Corinthians 5	6. Without spot or blemish: Ephesians 5:27, Revelation 19:7-8
7. Pastor is the Head: 1 Timothy 3:5	7. Jesus Christ is the Head: Colossians 1:18, Ephesians 5:23
8. Can leave a local church: 1 Corinthians 5:5	8. Cannot leave the Body of Christ: Ephesians 5:30, 2 Timothy 2:11-13