



CHRISTIAN FAITH

F E L L O W S H I P

We are Not a perfect Church

We are Not a Perfect People

We are here because we Know we need God's Help

We know He has provided that help through Jesus Christ



CFF is called to:

Radiate the love of Christ

Reach the Lost and the Saved in order to

Restore them into fully mature followers of Christ

Accountability Questions

- Did you spend at least 5 minutes a day – at least 5 days last week reading/hearing the Bible?
- Did you share a God story with someone this week?
- Did you spend time alone with God this week? (no agenda)
- Do you know what the Holy Spirit is saying to you?
- Are you giving as God has asked you to give? (T, T, R)
- Did you invite someone to church with you this week (giving out a Come Join Us card)?
- Have you been Praying & Working on our 2019 Goal?
Each 1 Reach 1 Teach 1

- Today is the 3rd Sunday of Advent: Joy (Love)
- **Joy**: A feeling of great pleasure and happiness
- When we were handing out the gifts yesterday – it was obvious on the face of the kids there was Joy - BUT – it was at times even more obvious on the face of the parent AND they did not receive anything tangible for themselves!
- **Rejoice**: feel or show great joy or delight

Galtians 5 19 When you follow the desires of your sinful nature, the results are very clear: sexual immorality, impurity, lustful pleasures, 20 idolatry, sorcery, hostility, quarreling,

jealousy, outbursts of anger, selfish ambition, dissension, division, 21 envy, drunkenness, wild parties, and other sins like these. Let me tell you again, as I have before, that anyone living that sort of life will not inherit the Kingdom of God.

22 But the Holy Spirit produces this kind of fruit in our lives: love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, 23 gentleness, and self-control. There is no law against these things!

2 Corinthians 6 3 We live in such a way that no one will stumble because of us, and no one will find fault with our ministry. 4 In everything we do, we show that we are true ministers of God. We patiently endure troubles and hardships and calamities of every kind. 5 We have been beaten, been put in prison, faced angry mobs, worked to exhaustion, endured sleepless nights, and gone without food. 6 We prove ourselves by our purity, our understanding, our patience, our kindness, by the Holy Spirit within us, and by our sincere love. 7 We faithfully preach the truth. God's power is working in us. We use the weapons of righteousness in the right hand for attack and the left hand for defense. 8 We serve

God whether people honor us or despise us, whether they slander us or praise us. We are honest, but they call us impostors. 9 We are ignored, even though we are well known. We live close to death, but we are still alive. We have been beaten, but we have not been killed. 10 Our hearts ache, but we always have joy. We are poor, but we give spiritual riches to others. We own nothing, and yet we have everything.

Luke 11 11 “You fathers—if your children ask for a fish, do you give them a snake instead? 12 Or if they ask for an egg, do you give them a scorpion? Of course not! 13 So if you sinful people know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him.”

Action Steps

- Have you received the Holy Spirit since you believed?
- Are you seeing the challenges that you are facing as opportunities for you to mature in your faith?
- Are you seeing your circumstances as opportunities to be the salt and light to those around you Jesus called us to be?
- Will you choose to find JOY through it all?
- If you do not know Jesus as your Savior – we invite you to begin your relationship with Him today
- If you are watching on-line you can email the office@cfftucson.com or call 520-329-0842 someone will contact you