

**Deuteronomy 6** “These are the commands, decrees, and regulations that the LORD your God commanded me to teach you. You must obey them in the land you are about to enter and occupy, 2 and you and your children and grandchildren must fear the LORD your God as long as you live. If you obey all his decrees and commands, you will enjoy a long life. 3 Listen closely, Israel, and be careful to obey. Then all will go well with you, and you will have many children in the land flowing with milk and honey, just as the LORD, the God of your ancestors, promised you. 4 “Listen, O Israel! The Lord is our God, the LORD alone. 5 And you must love the Lord your God with all your heart, all your soul, and all your

strength. 6 And you must commit yourselves wholeheartedly to these commands that I am giving you today. 7 Repeat them again and again to your children. Talk about them when you are at home and when you are on the road, when you are going to bed and when you are getting up. 8 Tie them to your hands and wear them on your forehead as reminders. 9 Write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates.

**Matthew 28** 18 Jesus came and told his disciples, “I have been given all authority in heaven and on earth. 19 Therefore, go and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. 20 Teach these new disciples to obey all the commands I have given you. And be sure of this: I am with you always, even to the end of the age.”

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**Matthew 22** 34 But when the Pharisees heard that he had silenced the Sadducees with his reply, they met together to question him again. 35 One of them, an expert in religious law, tried to trap him with this question: 36 “Teacher, which is the most important commandment in the law of Moses?” 37 Jesus replied, ““You must love the LORD your God with all your heart, all your soul, and all your mind.’ 38 This is the first and greatest commandment. 39 A second is equally important: ‘Love your neighbor as yourself.’ 40 The entire law and all the demands of the prophets are based on these two commandments.”

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44 And all the believers met together in one place and shared everything they had. 45 They sold their property and possessions and shared the money with those in need. 46 They worshiped together at the Temple each day, met in homes for the Lord's Supper, and shared their meals with great joy and generosity — 47 all the while praising God and enjoying the goodwill of all the people. And each day the Lord added to their fellowship those who were being saved.

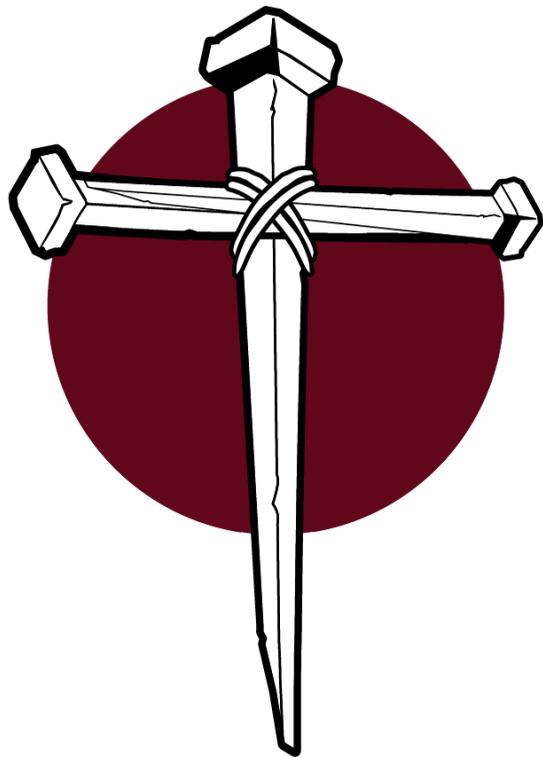
We are not a perfect people

We are not a perfect church

We are here because we know we need God's help

We know that God has provided that help through Jesus  
Christ!

- We have established clearly who we are – a people not yet perfected but on a journey with God – knowing Jesus Christ is the answer to life
- We also know God has called us to **Radiate the love of Christ - Reach the lost and the saved in order to Restore them into fully mature followers of Christ**



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**F E L L O W S H I P**  
*RADIATE • REACH • RESTORE*

- This is not a commercial for CFF... this is a challenge to know that we are living in God's Word – functioning as God intended this body to function
- **We do not see** the Assembling of the body together for worship as an **'Elective'**
- **We do not see** the Life of the Believer to be **'whatever you feel comfortable with'**
- **We do not see** Government or Culture as **who sets the standards for the Church**
- **What we do see is clearly taught in God's Word:**
- We are to become Christlike in our lives and anything less than this is worthless

**Ephesians 4** 11 Now these are the gifts Christ gave to the church: the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, and the pastors and teachers. 12 Their responsibility is to equip God's people to do his work and build up the church, the body of Christ. 13 This will continue until we all come to such unity in our faith and knowledge of God's Son that we will be mature in the Lord, measuring up to the full and complete standard of Christ.

## **Action Steps**

- Are you a born again (saved) Christian?
- Have you been Baptized in the faith?
- Are you applying God's word in your life? Your home conversations? Your work conversations?
- What in and around your home reminds you of the Obedient Life you are to live with God?