

HOW TO BECOME A MEMBER OF THE LORD'S CHURCH

NOTES

Hear the Gospel (Rom. 10:17) Christ came to earth, lived a perfect life, became sin offering for all mankind so you could have hope of a home in heaven.

Believe what you have heard (Heb. 11:6, Mark 16:16)

Repent of past sins (Acts 3:19, 17:30)

Confess Jesus as Lord (Rom. 10:9-10, Acts 8:37)

Be immersed for the forgiveness of sins (Acts 2:38, Acts 22:16, I Peter 3:21)

THEN, God adds you to the church (Acts 2:41)

Men to Serve 10:30 A.M.	Today October 12	Next Sunday October 19
Greeters	Butch and Linda	Emily and Kyle
Announcements	Larry Maach	Gary Lass
Song Leader	Adam Glawe	Jeremy Lass
Prayer	Jordan Clark	Adam Glawe
<u>Lord's Supper</u>		
Preside	Gary Lass	Tim Taylor
Cup	Dan Breitbarth	Jordan Clark
Offering	Tim Taylor	Kyle DeMoss
Scripture	Dan Lass	Dan Breitbarth
Sermon	Matt Glawe	Butch Glawe
Prayer	Adam Glawe	Dan Lass
Alternate	Butch Glawe	
6:00 P.M. Lord's Supper	Tonight	Next Week
	Small Groups	KFC
Song Leader		
Opening Prayer		
Closing Prayer		
Wednesday	October 1	October 8
Song Leader	Jeremy Lass	Jeremy Lass
Opening Prayer	Ethan Bailey	Kyle DeMoss
Closing Prayer	Kyle DeMoss	Butch Glawe

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NO CREED BUT CHRIST, NO LAW BUT
LOVE, NO BOOK BUT THE BIBLE

OGDEN CHURCH OF CHRIST

To OUR GUESTS...

WE ARE HAPPY YOU CHOSE TO WORSHIP WITH US TODAY! LIKE YOU, WE ARE PEOPLE FROM ALL WALKS OF LIFE WHO HAVE TAKEN GOD AT HIS WORD THAT JESUS CHRIST IS THE WAY, THE TRUTH AND THE LIFE. WE BELIEVE THAT JESUS DIED FOR OUR SINS AND GOD GIVES US NEW LIFE WHEN WE RESPOND TO HIM IN FAITH AND OBEDIENCE.

ASSEMBLY TIMES

SUNDAY BIBLE CLASS

9:30 A.M.

SUNDAY WORSHIP

10:30 A.M.

SUNDAY EVENING

6:00 P.M.

WEDNESDAY EVENING

7:00 P.M.





UPCOMING EVENTS

- October 23-26, 2014 - Bill Lockwood - Gospel Meeting
- December 5-7, 2014 - Speaker Wisam Al-Athawi
- March of 2015 - Evangelism Campaign



October 12, 2014 - "Jesus the Son"

Jesus frequently describes Him merely as the Son. He is the Son of God and the Son of Man. The Scriptures describe Him as divine but also as coming in the flesh. How do we understand Jesus as both fully human and fully divine?

(Channel 9 in Ogden and Boone Mediacom) Sundays at 6:30 a.m. on INSP (Dish 259; Mediacom 93) ON THE WEB AT www.searchtv.org WORSHIP SERVICE BROADCAST ON LOCAL CHANNEL 6 Sunday at 6:00 pm; Tues. at 7:00 pm All past lessons can be heard on our website

For the Record

Week of 10-05-2014

Attendance

Sunday Morning Worship: 40
 Sunday Evening Service: 23
 Wednesday Bible Study: 30

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Please keep Joyce Lass in your prayers.
- Please keep Tammy Taylor in your prayers.
- Please keep Lloyd Winkelman in your prayers.
- Please keep Sarah, Jordan and unborn baby Clark in your prayers
- Remember to Vote

Falling Out of Love

A forty-year-old man, suffering through the classic "mid-life crisis," sat down to talk to a preacher about his problems. He explained how his marriage of 20 years was no longer satisfying or fulfilling. Finally, he reached the "bottom line": **"I just don't love her anymore,"** he said. **"What can I do?"**

After a brief moment of reflection, the preacher said decisively, **"As I see it, you have only ONE option....."**

The man perked up with anticipation. Was the preacher going to suggest a divorce? Would he be free to pursue the thrilling lifestyle of the younger generation that he had come to admire? Would this be his chance to regain his fleeting youth? What was the preacher's advice?

"It seems to me," said the preacher, **"that the only thing left for you to do is REPENT and start loving her again!"**

According to the Scriptures, to love one's spouse is a **COMMAND** from God. For example, Ephesians 5:25 states: "Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ also loved the church and gave Himself for her." One cannot command another's feelings, but one can command an-

other's **WILL**. The Bible defines love (Gr. agape) as a decision of the will to seek the higher good for the other person. This love is not kindled (or re-kindled) by the merit or worth of its object, but with a determination of one's mind to acting lovingly toward another.

It is not enough to be "committed" to your spouse for life, you must be "committed to love" your spouse for life!

The ultimate model for this kind of love is God Himself! Wayne Hudson has written: *"After many years, I arrived at the only definition that makes any sense. Since God is love [see 1 John 4:7-8] and we must compare our love to him, we come up short if we define it any other way.*

For you see, in the final analysis, **"Love is a commitment with a beginning and no end."** This is the type of love that God has for us, and the type of love that we need to have for God and others.

"But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us" (Romans 5:8). God's love for us was not based upon our goodness or upon our merits. In fact, we are sinners, and continue to fall short of the glory of God (Romans 3:23). But God loved us so much that He gave His Son to die for us on the cross (1 John 4:9-10) so that we can have forgiveness and eternal life with Him.

These blessings can be ours if we will respond to the love of God on His terms: places our **trust** in Jesus (Acts 16:30-31), **repenting** of our sins (Acts 17:30-31), **confessing** Jesus before men (Romans 10:9-10), and being **baptized** (immersed) into Christ for the forgiveness of our sins (Acts 2:38; 22:16). Then He desires that we continue to demonstrate our love for Him by continuing to follow His will. As long as we do that, He has promised to continue to cleanse us of our sins (1 John 1:7).

God has not "fallen out of love" with us; He NEVER will. He loves us with an **"everlasting love"** (Jeremiah 31:3). However, He longs for us to respond to His love with the **SAME** kind of love – a commitment with a beginning and no end.
How will YOU respond to His love?



