
❖ **SERMON NOTES** ❖

Sunday, February 3, 2019

“A MEMBER OF GOD’S FAMILY”

(Matthew 28:17-20)

Our goal as a church is to move people to become fully developing followers of Christ. We believe church membership is vital to a person fully developing as a follower of Christ. Today you will have opportunity to take a step toward membership. What does it mean to be a part of a church family?

1. _____ (in Jesus).

We believe salvation is by grace through faith in Jesus. (Romans 6:23; Ephesians 2:8-9; John 14:6; Titus 3:5; Galatians 3:26; Romans 5:1)

We believe we are saved for good works not by good works. (Ephesians 2:8-10)

We believe our relationship to God is secure in Christ. (John 10:22, 29; 2 Timothy 1:12; Hebrews 7:25; 10:10, 14; 1 Peter 1:3-5)

2. _____ (in community).

We believe in grace-filled community. (Philippians 2:4, CSB).

**THE BIG THREE – ON-RAMPS TO
COMMUNITY AT FBC ALLEN**

Attend the Sunday Worship Service (Hebrews 10:25, CSB).

Serve Others (1 Peter 4:10, CSB).

Join a Group (Philippians 2:4, CSB).

3. _____ (for God's mission). (Matthew 28:19-20; Acts 1:8).

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The Great Commandment - *“Teacher, which command in the law is the greatest?’ He said to him, ‘Love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind. This is the greatest and most important command. The second is like it: Love your neighbor as yourself. All the Law and the Prophets depend on these two commands’”* (Matthew 22:36-40, CSB).

The Great Commission – *“Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe everything I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age”* (Matthew 28:19-20, CSB).

1. FAITH (in Jesus).

We believe salvation is by grace through faith in Jesus. (Romans 6:23; Ephesians 2:8-9; John 14:6; Titus 3:5; Galatians 3:26; Romans 5:1)

“For God loved the world in this way: He gave his one and only Son, so that everyone who believes in him will not perish but have eternal life” (John 3:16, CSB).

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2. BELONG (in community).

We believe in grace-filled community.

“Everyone should look out not only for his own interests, but also for the interests of others” (Philippians 2:4, CSB).

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Attend the Sunday Worship Service

“Not neglecting to gather together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging each other, and all the more as you see the day approaching” (Hebrews 10:25, CSB).

Serve Others

“Just as each one has received a gift, use it to serve others, as good stewards of the varied grace of God” (1 Peter 4:10, CSB).

Join a Group

Everyone should look out not only for his own interests, but also for the interests of others” (Philippians 2:4, CSB).

3. COMMISSIONED (for God's mission). (Matthew 28:19-20; Acts 1:8).

“The harvest is abundant, but the workers are few. Therefore, pray to the Lord of the harvest to send out workers into his harvest” (Luke 10:2, CSB).