

Welcome to the
Burnett County Church of Christ

02/23/14

*What the Church looked like...
to Jesus*

Scripture: Matthew 16:13-19

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Songs for Worship – 02/23/14

- 1) # 273
- 2) # 677
- 3) # 519
- 4) # LS 145
- 5) Inv # 455

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What the Church looked like...

In the Beginning

Acts 2:42-47

- I. Unwavering In Their Commitment – v.42
- II. Unselfish In Their Compassion – v.45
- III. United In Christ – v. 44; 46-47

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CHURCH ~

115 times in the N.T.

1st time – Matthew 16:18 ...*My Church*

ekklesia – a gathering of citizens called out from their homes into some public place, an assembly. (Thayer's) ...a congregation

The Bible uses it in two ways:

UNIVERSAL ~ Ephesians 1:22

LOCAL ~ 1 Cor. 1:2; Rev. 2 & 3

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THE BODY OF CHRIST...

Ephesians 1:22-23; 5:23, 29-30

Romans 12:1-5

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THE HOUSE OF GOD...

1 Timothy 3:15

Matthew 12:48-49

Mark 10:29-30

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THE HOLY TEMPLE OF GOD...

Ephesians 2:19-22

1 Corinthians 3:16-17

2 Corinthians 6:16-7:1

Ephesians 5:25 ~ Christ also loved the church and gave Himself up for her.

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Ephesians 5:32-33; 25-27

Matthew 9:15 ...*friends of the bridegroom*...

Matthew 25:1 ~ Parable of the ten virgins

2 Corinthians 11:2

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Romans 6:23 ~ The price of sin is death

Romans 3:23 ~ All have sinned and fall short

1 Cor. 6:20 ~ We were bought for a price

Acts 20:28 ...*purchased with His own blood.*

John 14:2 ~ *I go to prepare a place for you.*

1 Thes. 5:2 ~ *For you yourselves know perfectly that the day of the Lord so comes as a thief in the night.*

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1 Timothy 3:14-15

Have you...

Heard? ...*faith comes from hearing, and hearing by the word of Christ.* (Rom 10:17)

Believed? ...*believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God; and that believing you may have life in His name.* (John 20:31)

Repented? ...*unless you repent, you will all likewise perish.* (Luke 13:3)

Confessed? ...*if you confess with your mouth Jesus as Lord... resulting in salvation.* (Rom 10:9-10)

Been Baptized? ...*those who had received his word were baptized;* (Acts 2:41)

Lived Faithfully? ...*be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord.* (1 Cor. 15:58)

Invitation Song # 455