### I. GOD LOVES YOU and desires that you:

**1. Have eternal life with Him.**

“For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish, but have eternal life.” John 3:16

**2. Have an abundant and meaningful life.**

“Jesus said, ‘… I came that they might have life, and have it abundantly.’” John 10:10

But most people aren’t experiencing a meaningful life and aren’t sure that they have eternal life because…

### II. Man has a SIN problem that SEPARATES him from GOD.

**1. Everyone has sinned. “**… For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God….” Romans 3:23 (also ESV, NIV)

**2. The penalty for sin is DEATH. “**For the wages of sin is death….” Romans 6:23 (also ESV, NIV)

The Bible talks about two kinds of death. The first death is physical. The second death is spiritual or eternal separation from God.

“But for the cowardly and unbelieving and abominable and murderers and immoral persons and sorcerers and idolaters and **all liars**, their part will be in the lake that burns with fire and brimstone, which is the **Second Death**.” Revelation 21:8

Because sin separates man from God, what is the solution to his problem?

### III. JESUS CHRIST is God’s ONLY way to heaven.

**1. He is the ONLY way. “**Jesus said… ‘I am the way, and the truth, and the life; no one comes to the Father, but through Me.’” John 14:6

**2. He COMPLETELY PAID the penalty of your sins.**

“For Christ also died for sins once for all, the just for the unjust, in order that He might bring us to God….” 1 Peter 3:18

**3. His resurrection proves that He is the Son of God, the Messiah, the only Savior.**

“… Concerning His Son, who was born of a descendant of David according to the flesh, who was declared the Son of God with power by the resurrection from the dead, according to the Spirit of holiness, Jesus Christ our Lord….” Romans 1:3-4

**4. He promises Eternal Life.**

“Jesus said … ‘I am the resurrection and the life; he who believes in Me shall live even if he dies, and everyone who lives and believes in Me shall never die….’” John 11:25-26

However, merely knowing what Jesus Christ has done for us is not enough.

### IV. We must place our FAITH IN JESUS CHRIST to save us.

**1. You are saved by God’s grace through faith in Jesus Christ.**

“For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith - and this is not from yourselves, it is the GIFT OF GOD - not by works, so that no one can boast.” Ephesians 2:8-9 (NIV)

To be saved by faith means to TRUST IN JESUS CHRIST ALONE to save you. Good works are not the means to salvation; rather, they are the byproducts or evidence of your salvation.

**2. Prove the sincerity of your faith by turning away from a life of sin.**

“I preached that they should repent and turn to God and prove their repentance by their deeds. A person who genuinely asks for forgiveness will seek to change his ways.” Acts 26:20 (NIV)

**God knows we are not perfect, but the sincerity of our faith will move us to live lives that show our gratitude to God for His free gift of heaven.**

**You can pray this simple prayer to express your faith in Jesus Christ and to receive Him into your heart as your Lord and Savior. You only have to pray this prayer once, but with sincerity, because when He enters your life, he will never leave you.**

**PRAYER:** ***Lord, Jesus Christ… I admit I am sinner, I confess and I repent of all my sins. I believe by faith that You, Jesus, died for my sins, You were buried and You rose again from the dead. I claim Your promise of forgiveness and accept Your gift of eternal life. I thank You for dying on the cross for my sins, I thank You for forgiving my sins and I thank You for giving me eternal life. Amen.***



Christ's Commission Fellowship is about making Christ-committed followers who will make Christ-committed followers. That is, in essence, evangelism and discipleship. We aim to help people know Jesus as their Savior. We want to help them live for Jesus and recognize Him as their Lord. We will also help them help others do the same.

Matthew 28:18-20 says, *"Jesus came up and spoke to them, saying, 'All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth.*

*Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age.'"* Jesus was talking about **Evangelism**.

Evangelism addresses the world's greatest need. We need forgiveness because we all have sinned against God. The Bible says, *"God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish, but have eternal life."* (John 3:16). Because of God's great love, He gave us what we needed most—a Savior.

A recent study showed that the number of people who are not committed followers of Jesus Christ is more than twice the number of believers. What is the Church doing about it?

Sadly, up to 85% of church activities cater to existing members. That means only 15% of church programs are concerned with the millions of people whose greatest need has not been met.

The study also showed that much of church growth is due only to members transferring from one congregation to another, not through genuine conversion. And of the believers within the Church already, many of them compromise with sin and live defeated lives. We should take Evangelism more seriously.

Upon salvation, we are not suddenly whisked up to heaven. There is a reason the Church remains on earth. God wants to use us to meet the world's greatest need.

Brethren, we are commanded to evangelize. Matthew 28:18 tells us that all authority in heaven and on earth has been given to Jesus. Immediately following that verse is a command for us to go and make disciples of all nations. This is the Great Commission. If Jesus has all authority, shall we disobey Him? "If you love me," Jesus says, "You will obey what I command."

Do you love Jesus enough to obey the Great Commission? If you are able to obey God simply because He commands you to, with no need for any other reason, then you have indeed learned to love Him.

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**Matthew 28:18-20 18 And Jesus came and said to them, “All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. 19 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, 20 teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age.” (**[**ESV**](http://www.esv.org)**)**



God has given us everything we need in order for us to reach out to people with the saving message of the Gospel. The Bible gives us principles in how to go about Evangelism.

Be careful to live properly among your unbelieving neighbors. Then even if they accuse you of doing wrong, they will see your honorable behavior, and they will give honor to God when he judges the world (1 Peter 2:12). First, we must be persons of Integrity. Integrity is simply being real, genuine. Live out the truth. Do not cheat or lie. As your knowledge of Biblical principles increases, apply them in your life. Make your salvation sure.

A second principle is to be intentional. We do this by building relationships. The Apostle Paul practiced this in 1 Corinthians 9:21-23. He found common ground with everyone he was with, doing everything he could to spread the Good News and share in its blessings. Will you do the same? Will you share your life with the people around you, whom you see every day at work, at home or in school who might not yet know the Savior?

Jesus appointed twelve, that they might be with Him, and that He might send them out to preach (Mark 3:14). There are two basic strategies that Jesus used in **Discipleship**. The first is, Jesus chose a few (not many) to be with, to whom He would pour out His life. He intended to model the Christian life to them: how to pray, fast, serve others, love, and forgive.

Jesus knows that discipleship is caught more than it is taught. In order to make disciples, we need to model the Christian life. For example, to create a positive impact on your children, do not just teach them the right way to live. Model it.

Jesus wanted to be with His disciples in order to guide them, encourage them, comfort them, love them, care for them, and protect them from sin. He was their mentor. We all need a mentor in our Christian walk—someone to encourage us along. If you are not part of a small group, find one. Surround yourself with people who can inspire you. As you spend time together, just as Jesus spent time with His disciples, you encourage one another.

The second strategy is, He sent them out. He built relationships with the Twelve so that He could eventually send them out into the world to make disciples, who will make disciples, and so on. Time will come that their disciples would also pass on to others what they have learned. And it will go on and on so long as people obey the Lord and make disciples of all nations.

No fish lives in the Dead Sea because of the high salt content. That's because that body of water has always been a receiving end. No water flows out of it. Your life, if not poured out onto others, will be as dead as the Dead Sea.

May you have the sincere desire to be a committed disciple of Jesus. May you also have the desire to make a difference in this world and in the lives of others. Will you obey Jesus and share the Gospel with others? Are you willing to help them become committed followers of the Lord Jesus Christ? Your "Yes!" will resound through all eternity.

### CCF Vision Statement

Our vision is to see a movement of millions of committed followers of the Lord Jesus Christ meeting in small groups, transforming: Lives, Families, Communities and Nations for the Glory of God!

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| 12:00-1:30 P.M. |
| 3:00-5:00 P.M. (Filipino) |
| 6:00-7:30 P.M. |
| [Alabang](http://www.ccf-alabang.org) | 8:00-9:30 A.M. |
| 10:00-11:30 A.M. |
| 12:00-1:30 P.M. |
| 3:30-5:00 P.M. (Filipino) |
| [Cagayan de Oro](http://www.ccf.org.ph/about-us/branches-church-planting#cdo) | 8:00 A.M & 10:00 A.M. |
| 4:30-6:00 P.M. |
| [Cavite](http://www.ccf.org.ph/about-us/branches-church-planting#cavite) | 8:00-9:30 A.M. |
| 10:00-11:30 A.M. |
| [Cebu](http://www.ccf.org.ph/about-us/branches-church-planting/ccf-cebu) | 10:00 A.M. & 4 P.M.(Ayala Cinema 2) |
| [Davao](http://www.ccf.org.ph/about-us/branches-church-planting/ccf-davao) | 10:00-11:30 A.M. |

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