

- To submit to the authority of the Bible on all issues.
  - o Psalms 119:2, 2 Timothy 3:14-17, 2 Peter 1:19-21
- To pursue the Lord through daily/weekly spiritual discipline (Bible reading, prayer, and ongoing fellowship within the body of believers)
  - o Luke 18:1, Acts 17:11, 1 Corinthians 9:24-27, Ephesians 5:1-21
- To engage and participate in the Lord's Supper.
  - o 1 Corinthians 11:26
- To steward the resources God has given each member, including their time, talents, spiritual gifts, and finances. Stewardship is often sacrificing and means of worship. Our desire and membership responsibly is to give God our first and best.
  - o Proverbs 3, Matthew 25:14-30, Romans 12:1-2, Peter 4:10-11
- By God's grace and through the power of the Holy Spirit, to walk in holiness in all areas of life as an act of worship to Jesus Christ.
  - Members will practice complete Chastity unless married, if married, complete fidelity within heterosexual and monogamous marriage. This would mean among other things, regardless of marital status, a member abstain from practices of adultery, homosexuality, premarital sex, and the use of pornography.
    - Romans 13:11-14, Ephesians 5:3
  - o Each member will seek to preserve the gift of marriage and agree to walk through the steps of marriage reconciliation before pursuing divorce.
    - Matthew 19:1-12, Mark 10:1-12
  - o Members will refrain from drug use, drunkenness, gossip, and other sinful behaviors.
    - Romans 1:28-32, Galatians 5:19-21, Ephesians 5:18
- To refrain from activities that the Bible would deem foolish
  - o Romans 14:14-23
- Members will follow the leadership of the lead Pastor, Pastor Team, and the Deacon body. Leadership is in the role of encouraging, teaching, and also addressing issues within and outside of the church.
- To submit and follow through with Church discipline when it comes to leaders addressing sin that is evident or public. Members will respectfully communicate and follow through with the process of working with the church during difficult times.
  - o Psalms 141:5, Matthew 18:15-20, Hebrews 12:5-11
- If members leave the church for righteous reasons, they will seek out a new body of believers to carry on their faith and they will notify the church leadership team so that the team can pray for their future.