

Finding The Rock

Foundations for the Christian Life

Membership 101





Lesson 1: Church on the Rock
Who We Are & What We Do

PART 2 NOTES

“they met with the church and taught a great many people. And in Antioch the disciples were first called Christians.”

- Acts 11:26 -

FINDING THE ROCK – MEMBERSHIP 101 LESSON 1 PART 2

VII. WHAT ARE FOUR COMMITMENTS TO THE VISION OF GTCOTR THAT MEMBERS ARE ENCOURAGED TO MAKE?

Four Commitments: *(Fill in the Blanks)*

1. Membership Commitment

is a commitment to _____ and _____.

“You are members of God’s very own family...and you belong in God’s household with every other Christian.” Ephesians 2:19 (LB)

“We are all parts of Christ’s body, and it takes every one of us to make it complete, for we each have different work to do. So we belong to each other and need all the others.”
Romans 12:4-5 (LB)

2. Maturity Commitment

is a commitment to the _____ necessary for spiritual growth.

Continue to grow in grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.
(2 Peter 3:18)

Take **the time and trouble** to keep yourself spiritually fit. (1 Timothy 4:7 Phillips)

3. Ministry Commitment

is a commitment to discovering and using my God-given gifts and abilities in
_____ God and others.

“God has given each of you some special abilities; be sure to use them to help each other...” 1 Peter 4:10 (LB)

“There are different kinds of service to God...together you form the body of Christ and each one of you is a necessary part of it.” 1 Corinthians 12:5, 27 (LB)

4. Missions Commitment

is a commitment to _____ the Good News with others.

...you will be my witnesses for me...to the ends of the earth. Acts 1:8 (GN)

always being prepared to make a defense to anyone who asks you for a reason for the hope that is in you; yet do it with gentleness and respect (1 Peter 3:15)

VIII. PRACTICAL APPLICATIONS OF THIS LESSON – THE “TAKE AWAY”

- ***Becoming a Christian by believing in Christ is the most important thing I can do both now and for eternity.***
- ***Being involved, faithfully attending, and serving the Lord in and through GTCOTR links me with a church committed to sharing Jesus with the world and a church that has an established, solid reputation in the local community and internationally.***
- ***Making a lifelong commitment to the Lord and to a Bible Believing, Gospel preaching local church no matter where I live, will make an eternal difference in my life, in my family, and to others.***

Answers:

Christ, Church family, habits, serving, share