

## BASIC CHRISTIANITY – The Christian and the Church - Lesson 4

### CHURCH MEMBERSHIP

1. After obeying God through faith, repentance, confession, and baptism, how does one become a member of the church? “And the \_\_\_\_\_ added to the church daily those who were being saved.” (Acts 2:47; Colossians 1:13)
2. What’s in a name? From the following passages, list the terms used to describe the church:
  - a. Acts 20:28 – The church of \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. Romans 16:16 – The churches of \_\_\_\_\_
  - c. 1 Corinthians 1:2 – The church of \_\_\_\_\_ which is at \_\_\_\_\_
  - d. Hebrews 12:23 - The church of the \_\_\_\_\_
  - e. Colossians 1:13 – The \_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_
  - f. Ephesians 4:12 – The \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_
3. Discuss the popularity of present day “hobby” churches (i.e. The Biker’s Church; The Cowboy Church)
4. “For by \_\_\_\_\_ Spirit we were all baptized into \_\_\_\_\_ body (church).” (1 Corinthians 12:13)
5. In recent years the phrase “church family” has become popular. According to the following passages, determine whether this is an acceptable way to describe the church.  
(1 Timothy 3:14-15; Hebrews 3:4; Ephesians 3:15; 1 John 3:1)

### MY WEEKLY CHALLENGE: NEW DISCOVERIES THROUGH DAILY BIBLE READING

6. What new thing did I learn from my daily bible reading last week? \_\_\_\_\_
7. List the compelling reasons that I should read and study the bible daily: (2 Timothy 3:16-17)  
(1) \_\_\_\_\_, (2) \_\_\_\_\_, (3) \_\_\_\_\_, (4) \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_

### ABOUT THE BIBLE:

8. The first five books of the Old Testament are commonly called the books of M \_\_ S \_\_ S.
  - a. These books are also known as the “Pentateuch” meaning “five books”.

### JEWELS FROM JAMES:

9. Every Christian should be swift to \_\_\_\_\_, slow to \_\_\_\_\_, and slow to \_\_\_\_\_. (1:19-20)
  - a. Acting out my anger does not produce the \_\_\_\_\_ of God.
10. The implanted word of God is able to \_\_\_\_\_ my \_\_\_\_\_. (1:21)
11. Christians are to be \_\_\_\_\_ of the word and not \_\_\_\_\_ only. (1:22-25)
  - a. Therefore Christianity is a religion of A \_\_ T \_\_ N!

### QUESTION OF THE WEEK:

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