

Questions

which accompany the

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series



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Lesson 1 – Universal e Local

**Read Ephesians 1:22, 23; 2 Thessalonians 1:1;
Galatians 1:2; Acts 15:13-18; 16.5; Matthew
16:13-18**

1. Who is the head of the Church? _____

What does that mean?

2. Write the names of the cities where the Bible
says there was a church.

3. Memorize Acts 16:5 - _____

4. What is the first time that the word "church" is used in the Bible?

What do you learn about the church in these verses?

**Read Matthew 18:15-17; Ephesians 5:22-33;
Ephesians 3:3-11; 1 Corinthians 12:12, 13; 1
Corinthians 12:27-31; Colossians 1:13-18**

5. Marriage is a picture of the relationship of _____
_____ and His _____.

6. List the 9 ways in which a wife is to picture the Church.

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7. Explain how the Church should picture how a body functions.

8. _____ is to have the pre-eminence in the Church.

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Lesson 2 – Purpose and Function (Part 1)

**Read Ephesians 2:19-22; 3:7-10, 20-21; 4:7-16; 1
Corinthians 12:28; Acts 20:28**

1. _____ is the Chief Corner
Stone of His Church.

2. Memorize Ephesians 2:21, 22 - _____

3. The Church is to display the _____
of God.

4. What is the 3-fold function of a minister?

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5. What is not the responsibility of the pastor?

6. God sets people in the Church according to

_____.

**Read Acts 16:5; Acts 2:41; Ephesians 5:21-33; 2
Corinthians 11:2**

7. The church must first be established in the
_____ to then increase in

_____.

8. Entrance into the local Church requires what 4 things?

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9. The Church should be like a _____
_____.

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Lesson 3 – Purpose and Function (Part 2)

Read Acts 12:5; Ephesians 6:18, 19; Philippians 1:9, 10; Philippians 1:19; 1 Corinthians 6:1-5; Philippians

1. The Church must recognize the great _____ of _____.

2. List some of the things that prayer can do.

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3. Memorize Ephesians 6:18, 19 - _____

4. Explain the relationship between the Church and missionaries (according to the verses in Philippians)

Read Acts 13:1-5; Matthew 9:37, 38; 1 Timothy 3:5; 1 Timothy 3:14, 15; Hebrews 2:11-12; James 2:1-9

5. The verses in Acts and Matthew also speak of the relationship of the missionary with the church. Write down what you learned.

6. Memorize Matthew 9:37, 38 - _____

7. Pastors are to care for the _____ of
God as they _____ their own
_____.

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Lesson 4 – Church Discipline

Read James 5:16; Acts 5:1-10; Romans 16:17-18; 1 Corinthians 5:1-13; 1 Corinthians 11:16

1. What is the difference between “trespass” and “sin” (particularly in the manner in which they are to be confessed)?

2. What are the 5 results of discipline given in Acts 5:11-14?

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3. How should we treat those that “cause divisions and offenses”?

4. How should we treat those involved in serious sin?

Read 1 Thessalonians 5:14; 2 Thessalonians 3:6-15; 1 Timothy 1:19, 20; 1 Timothy 5:19, 20; Titus 3:10, 11

5. How should the unruly be treated?

6. With what type of man should the believer withdraw himself?

7. How should those who blaspheme be treated?

8. How should sin in the life of the elder be treated?

9. How should the heretic be treated?

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Lesson 5 – Officers of the Church

Read Titus 1:5-11; 1 Timothy 3:1-7

1. What is the difference between “elders” and “bishops”?

2. List the requirements, explaining where necessary:

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Read 1 Timothy 3:8-13

3. What are the duties of a deacon?

4. List the requirements, explaining where necessary:

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Lesson 6 – The Church and Their Pastor

Read 1 Thessalonians 5:12-14; Ephesians 4:11-16; Hebrews 13:7, 17; Psalm 105:15

1. How should the pastor be treated?

2. The pastors are a _____ to the
_____ from _____.

3. Memorize Psalm 105:15 - _____

Read 2 Corinthians 9:7-14; 2 Timothy 5:17-20; 2 Timothy 4:2-5

4. _____ ministering brings
_____ results.

5. How should the Church care for the pastor financially?

6. Why is the preaching of the Word so important?



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