

**I. Hear** – Learning to hear and respond to God's voice

- A. Hear – Learning to hear God's voice: From the first 'Follow Me' to the daily conversation with God... as He encourages, comforts, directs, corrects, teaches & instructs, leads and guides...
  - 1. Growing relationship with Him: Reading the Bible, listening/solitude, praying, preaching, conversations, impressions and whispers of the Holy Spirit to our heart...
  - 2. Strengthens Faith: *So then faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the word of God. (Rom 10:17)*
  - 3. *My sheep hear My voice, and I know them, and they follow Me. (John 10:27)*
  - 4. Call to faithfulness: *Therefore, as the Holy Spirit says: Today, if you will hear His voice...(Heb 3:7)*
  - 5. Guidance and direction: *Your word is a lamp to my feet. And a light to my path. (Psm 119:105)*
- B. Have 'ears to hear'
  - 1. *He who has ears to hear, let him hear! (Mark 4:23); If anyone has an ear, let him hear (Rev 13:9)*
  - 2. *For the hearts of this people have grown dull. Their ears are hard of hearing, and their eyes they have closed. (Acts 28:27)*
  - 3. *Therefore take heed how you hear. For whoever has, to him more will be given; and whoever does not have, even what he seems to have will be taken from him. (Luke 8:18)*

**II. Live** – Incarnational - Following Jesus – Having to do with our relationship with God – 'Being'

- A. Be transformed, not conformed
  - 1. *And be not conformed to this world: but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what is that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God. (Romans 12:2)*
  - 2. *But we all, with unveiled face, beholding as in a mirror the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from glory to glory, just as by the Spirit of the Lord (2Cor 3:18)*
- B. Walk in the 'newness of life' (Rom 6:4)
  - 1. *For you were once darkness, but now you are light in the Lord. Walk as children of light... (Eph 5:8)*
  - 2. *Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven (Mat 5:16)*
  - 3. *Live such good lives among pagans that though they accuse you of wrong, they see your good deeds & glorify God. (1Pet.2:12)*
- C. Love God, and walk in His love
  - 1. *If you love Me, keep My commandments. (John 14:15)*
  - 2. *This is love, that we walk according to His commandments. This is the commandment, that as you have heard from the beginning, you should walk in it. (2John 6)*
  - 3. Respond to God, make the changes that He directs. (What is He speaking to you?)

**III. Share – Serve** – Having to do with our relationship with others, in Jesus' name. – 'Doing'

- A. The 'Great Commission' – Jesus' mandate for His church (Mat 28:18-20)
  - 1. Go, make disciples, baptize, teach... all with the promised presence of Jesus.
- B. What God is doing/has done in your life, share it with others...
  - 1. *And the things that you have heard from me among many witnesses, commit these to faithful men who will be able to teach others also. (2Tim 2:2)*
  - 2. *As each one has received a gift, minister it to one another, as good stewards of the manifold grace of God. (1Pet 4:10)*
  - 3. Working together: *Speaking the truth in love, we may grow up in all things into Him who is the head, Christ, from whom the whole body, joined and knit together by what every joint supplies, according to the effective working by which every part does its share, causes growth of the body for the edifying of itself in love. (Eph 4:16)*