

FORWARD

Exploring the Biblical foundations of McCoy's mission, vision and core values

TOGETHER

Our Intention: Love One Another

The Christian life is one of worshipping and glorifying God together in community. We are not meant to run our race alone. Knowing this, we walk alongside each other in the joys and the trials of life. We strive to be a multi-generational community of believers who love each other well. We want to serve each other sacrificially, understand each other deeply, and live transparently – together. We invite others into our brokenness through difficult conversations and genuine accountability, for the glory of God.

*Rom. 12:1 | Gen. 2:18 | John 13:35 | Rom. 12:15 | Gal. 6:2
| Col. 3:17 | Phil. 2:3-4 | Jam. 5:16 | Heb. 10:24-25*

We Must Love One Another

1. What does the Bible mean by love one another?
2. Why do we need to love one another?
3. How do we love one another?

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John 13:34

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When the Bible says love one another, it means we love one another like Jesus has loved us

How has
Jesus loved
us?

Philippians 2:6

Who, being in very nature God, did not consider equality with God something to be used to his own advantage;

How has
Jesus loved
us?

Jesus loved us by:

1. Giving up his rights

How has
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Philippians 2:7

rather, he made himself nothing by taking the very nature of a servant, being made in human likeness.

How has
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Jesus loved us by:

1. Giving up his rights
2. Becoming a servant

How has
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Philippians 2:8

And being found in appearance as a man, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to death— even death on a cross!

How has
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Jesus loved us by:

1. Giving up his rights
2. Becoming a servant
3. Putting our needs above his own

What does
the Bible
mean by
love one
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Loving one another means following
Jesus's example of sacrificially
putting others above ourselves

Why do we
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John 13:34-35

A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another. By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another.

1. Because we are commanded to
2. Because God has loved us
3. So that the world will see Jesus

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How do we
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We love one another by –
Following the Example of Jesus
1. Pursuing Deep Relationships

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Philippians 2:4

not looking to your own interests but each of you to the interests of the others.

Romans 12:15

Rejoice with those who rejoice; mourn with those who mourn.

Galatians 6:2

Carry each other's burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ.

Ephesians 4:2

Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love.

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2. Helping Each Other Grow

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Hebrews 10:24-25

And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds, not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging one another—and all the more as you see the Day approaching.

Helping Each Other Grow

Colossians 1:28-29

He is the one we proclaim, admonishing and teaching everyone with all wisdom, so that we may present everyone fully mature in Christ. To this end I strenuously contend with all the energy Christ so powerfully works in me.

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2. Helping Each Other Grow
3. Being Intentional

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1 John 3:16-18

This is how we know what love is: Jesus Christ laid down his life for us. And we ought to lay down our lives for our brothers and sisters. If anyone has material possessions and sees a brother or sister in need but has no pity on them, how can the love of God be in that person? Dear children, let us not love with words or speech but with actions and in truth.

Being Intentional

Are you committed to following Jesus's example in loving others?

Are you committed to pursuing deep relationships with others?

Are you committed to helping others become more like Christ?

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Will you take the first step to love others?