**MB *Ekklesia’s* 4 BASIC Commitments:**

**GATHER / GROW / GO / GIVE**

**… MBC Has A Great Commandment:**

***37****Jesus replied: “‘Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.’****38****This is the first and greatest commandment.****39****And the second is like it: ‘Love your neighbor as yourself.’****40****All the Law and the Prophets hang on these two commandments.”* Matt. 22:36-40

**… MBC Has A Great Commission:**

***19****Therefore* ***go and make disciples*** *of all nations,****baptizing them*** *in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit,****20****and* ***teaching them*** *to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age.”* Matt. 28:19-20

**… MBC Is One Body.**

***4****For just as each of us has one body with many members, and these members do not all have the same function,****5****so in Christ we, though many,* ***form one body,****and each member belongs to all the others.*  Rom. 12:4-5

**Caution: Guard Ourselves From Enemy Attack: UNITY & Harmony.**

*Finally, all of you, be like-minded, be sympathetic, love one another, be compassionate and humble.* 1 Peter 3:8

*Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace.* Eph. 4:3

*Let us therefore make every effort to do what leads to peace and to mutual edification*. Rom 14:19

*“Live in complete harmony with each other — each with the attitude of Christ toward each other.”* Rom. 15:5

**KEY: I Will Commit to Attending Worship Services Every Week.**

**GATHER Together For Worship Each Week**

**January, 2nd, 2022**

***24****And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds,****25not 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.* Heb. 10:24-25

**church:** ekklesia. Grk: (also ecclesia) defined as “a called-out assembly or congregation.” Ekklesia is commonly translated as “church” in the New Testament.

* **God Has Called The Church To Be Separate From Sin.**

*for it is written: “Be holy, because I am holy*.” 1 Peter 1:16

*But you are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God’s special possession, that you may declare the praises of him who called you out of darkness into his wonderful light.* 1 Peter 2:9

* **God Has Called The Church To Fellowship With Other Believers.**

*They* ***devoted*** *themselves to the apostles’* ***teaching****and to* ***fellowship****, to the breaking of* ***bread****and to* ***prayer****.* Acts 2:42

* **God Has Called The Church To Be A Light To The World.**

*In the same way,* ***let your light shine*** *before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven.* Matthew 5:16

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