

September 14,15 2019

“Own your Church”

Acts 2:38-47

Message by Steve Fowler

Worship led by Jeff Brown

Music:

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| Love Come Down | Holy Holy Holy | Do It Again |
| Death Arrested | Build My Life | |

Sermon:

Our standards for what we own are higher than our standards for the belongings for others.

Owners are invested

Owners take responsibility

Owners think long term

They were people of orthodoxy

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to hell. The third day he rose again from the dead.

He ascended to heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy worldwide church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

They were a people of unity

They were people of prayer

Ask: A request is made.

Seek: The asking becomes longer and more intense.

Knock: The praying becomes even more urgent and insistent.

Fast: Fasting is added to the urgency of prayer.

Wrestling in prayer: The intensity increases.

Warfare prayer: There is a prayer battle taking place in the spirit realm.

“Is prayer your steering wheel or your spare tire?” Corrie ten Boom

The church experienced holy fear, signs and wonders, unprecedented generosity, community that anticipated being together, favor with the community, and the Lord added daily to their number.

Are you dabbling in DIY theology or devoted to the teaching of the apostles?

Commit to being part of a spiritual community.

Pursue the presence-driven life.