

MARKS OF THE NEW TESTAMENT CHURCH

I. BUILT ON PROMISE:

MATT 16:18 "And I say also unto thee that thou art Peter, and upon this rock I will build my church . . ."

DAN 2:44 "And in the days of these kings shall the God of heaven set up a kingdom . . ."

II. BUILT ON CHRIST:

I COR 3:11 "For no foundation can no man lay . . ."

ROM 1:15-16 "So as much as in me is I am ready to preach the gospel . . ."
"Gospel power to save"

III. FOLLOWERS CALLED AFTER CHRIST

ACTS 11:26 " . . . disciples called christians first at antioch."

IV. CHURCH CALLED AFTER CHRIST

ROM 16:16 " . . . churches of Christ salute you."

V. CHRISTIANS MEET ON THE LORDS DAY

ACTS 20:7 "And upon the first day of the week when the disciples came together."

VI. NEW TESTAMENT PRACTICES ON THE LORDS DAY

A. Singing: EPH 5:19 "Speaking to yourselves in psalms . . ."

B. Teaching: ACTS 2:42 " . . . continued steadfastly in the apostles doctrine . . ."

C. Prayer: ACTS 2:42 " . . . continued in prayer . . ."

D. Lords Supper: I COR 11:20-31 " I have received from the lord that which also I delivered unto you . . ."

E. Giving: I Cor 16:1 "Now concerning the collection for the saints."

VII. ENTRANCE INTO CHRIST AND THE CHURCH TOOK CERTAIN STEPS

A. Hearing: Rom 10:17 "Faith cometh by hearing and hearing . . ."

B. Believe: Heb 11:6 "But without faith it is impossible . . ."

C. Repent: Luke 13:3 " . . . I tell ye . . . except ye repent."

D. Confess: Acts 8:37 "I believe that Jesus Christ is the son . . ."

E. Baptized: Mk 16:16 "He that believeth and is baptized . . ."

F. Live faithfully

