

The First Church

Acts 2:42-47

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And with many other words he bore witness and continued to exhort them, saying, “Save yourselves from this crooked generation.” So those who received his word were baptized, and there were added that day about three thousand souls. – Acts 2:40-41

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And **awe** came upon every soul, and many wonders and signs were being done through the apostles. – Acts 2:43

Seeking

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Heart

A heart that
loves Jesus



Hands

Worship at Services,
Baptized and Confirmed
and having a Devotional
Life

Mind

CE Courses, New Life Kit,
Bible Reading Plans, Know
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And all who believed were
together and had all things in
common. – Acts 2:44

And they were selling their
possessions and belongings and
distributing the proceeds to all, as
any had need. – Acts 2:45

And day by day, attending the temple together and breaking bread in their homes, they received their food with glad and generous hearts, praising God and having favor with all the people. - Acts 2:46-47a

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Heart

A heart that loves Jesus



A heart that feels belonged



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A heart of a Servant and a Servant Leader



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A close-up photograph of several pairs of feet standing on a light-colored, sandy or dusty ground. Some feet are bare, while others are wearing simple sandals. The image is slightly out of focus, emphasizing the texture of the ground and the variety of footwear.

What does a disciple look like?

Seeking God
Bible Engagement
Obedying God, Denying Self
Building Relationships
Serving God and Others
Exercising Faith
Sharing Christ
Unashamed of the Gospel

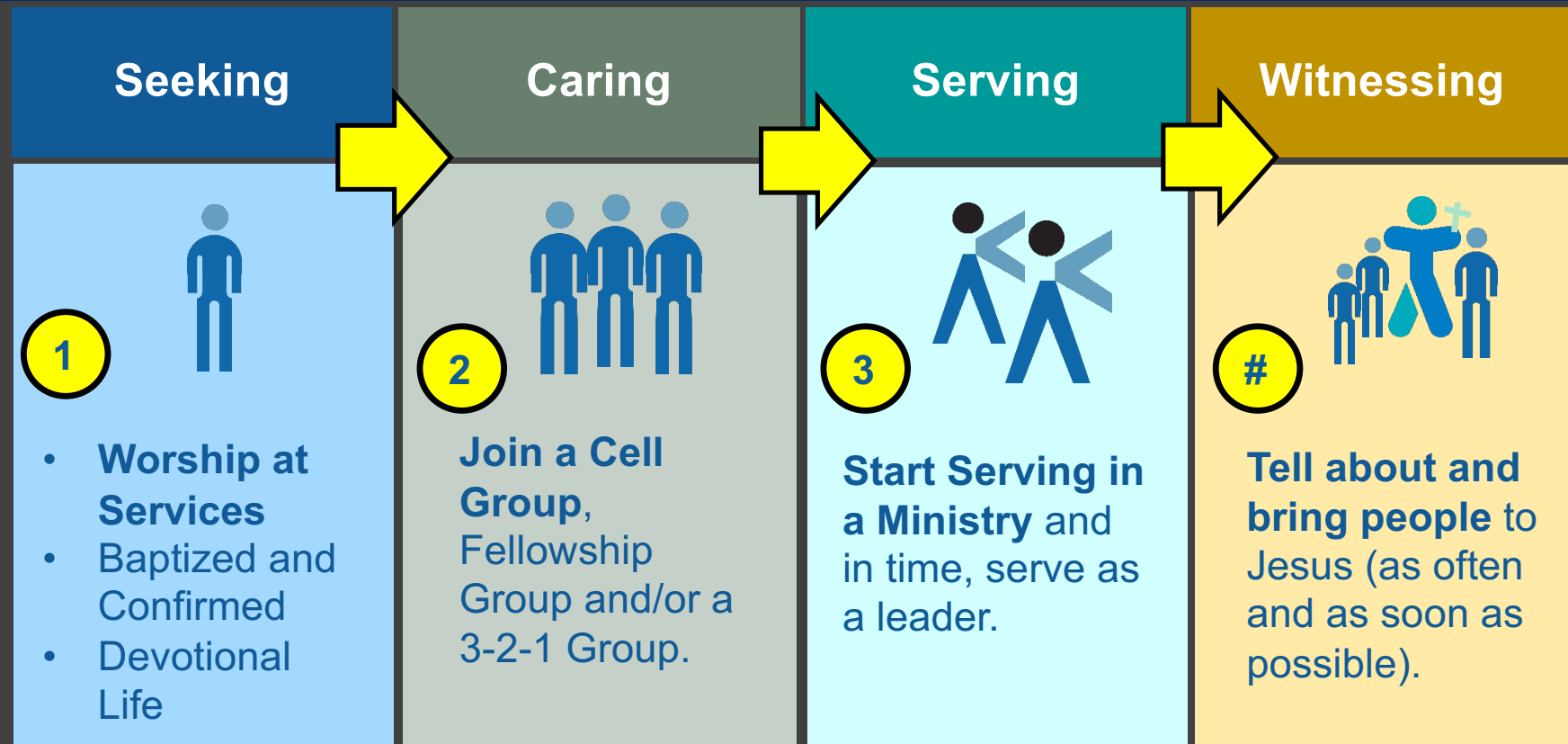
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Our Discipleship Process



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