

## TAKEAWAY ACTION

- I CHOOSE, by faith, to have a RELATIONSHIP with God through Jesus Christ.
- I CHOOSE, by faith, to trust in GOD'S GOODNESS, and not in my own.
- I CHOOSE, by faith, to put MY FAITH IN HIM, not myself.

At [GraceLife Church](#), our mission is drawing people into a growing relationship with Jesus Christ!

### MY NEXT STEP TODAY IS TO:

- Memorize *“<sup>1</sup> Finally then, brethren, we request and exhort you in the Lord Jesus, that as you received from us instruction as to how you ought to walk and please God (just as you actually do walk), that you excel still more.”*  
[1<sup>st</sup> Thessalonians 4:1\(NASB\)](#)
- Accept Jesus Christ as my Savior and Lord.    1<sup>st</sup> Time    Recommit
- I choose to receive salvation God's way, by faith.
- I choose to live every day God's way, by faith.
- I will apply today's message by \_\_\_\_\_

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### UPCOMING EVENTS

- ⇒ Wednesday Night Service & Bible Study, 6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.
- ⇒ Adult Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. (every Sunday except 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday)
- ⇒ Apr 22<sup>th</sup> - 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday Lunch following 10:30 a.m. service
- ⇒ Apr 29<sup>th</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday Family fun night (discussion)
- ⇒ May 13<sup>th</sup> - 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday Breakfast—9:30 a.m



## Empowering Believers (Part 4)

### Various Verses

Sunday, April 15, 2018

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### Memory Verse

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## Review:

*Ekklesia*

*Exalting Christ*

*Equipping the Church*

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## Empowering Believers

**First**, this is helping you see yourself as a follower of Christ in all things.

**Second**, it is helping you see your role in the body of Christ and also in the world as a follower of Jesus, as a Christian.

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**Third**, this is where membership comes in.

Philippians 4:2 <sup>2</sup> I entreat Euodia and I entreat Syntyche to agree in the Lord."

1 Thessalonians 4:1

1 Thessalonians 5:14 <sup>14</sup> And we urge you, brothers, admonish the idle, encourage the fainthearted, help the weak, be patient with them all."

2 Thessalonians 3:11-12

1 Timothy 2:1-2

2 Timothy 4:1-2

Titus 2:6 <sup>6</sup> Likewise, urge the younger men to be self-controlled. "

Titus 2:15

Hebrews 3:13 <sup>13</sup> But exhort one another every day, as long as it is called "today," that none of you may be hardened by the deceitfulness of sin. "

1 Pet 5:1-5