

# “The Marks of a Faithful Church”

## Revelation 3:7-13

Sunday, January 29, 2023

### 1. Submitted to the Authentic Jesus (7)

A. (2 Co 11:3-4) <sup>3</sup> But I fear, lest somehow, as the serpent deceived Eve by his craftiness, so your minds may be corrupted from the simplicity that is in Christ. <sup>4</sup> For if he who comes preaches another Jesus whom we have not preached, or if you receive a different spirit which you have not received, or a different gospel which you have not accepted—you may well put up with it!" NKJV

### 2. Dependent on the Power of Jesus (8)

A. "Revival begins when God points His finger at you and you respond" Charles Finney

B. (Php 4:11-13) <sup>11</sup> Not that I speak in regard to need, for I have learned in whatever state I am, to be content: <sup>12</sup> I know how to be abased, and I know how to abound. Everywhere and in all things I have learned both to be full and to be hungry, both to abound and to suffer need. <sup>13</sup> I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me." NKJV

### 3. Committed to the Work of Jesus (9-10)

A. (1 Co 16:8-9) <sup>8</sup> But I will tarry in Ephesus until Pentecost. <sup>9</sup> For a great and effective door has opened to me, and there are many adversaries." NKJV

B. (Col 4:3) "meanwhile praying also for us, that God would open to us a door for the word, to speak the mystery of Christ, for which I am also in chains," NKJV

### 4. Looking for the Return of Jesus (11-13)

A. (1 Cor 1:27-28) <sup>27</sup> But God has chosen the foolish things of the world to put to shame the wise, and God has chosen the weak things of the world to put to shame the things which are mighty; <sup>28</sup> and the base things of the world and the things which are despised God has chosen, and the things which are not, to bring to nothing the things that are, " NKJV