

# All In for Christ's Glory

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**2 Tim 3:16-17; 1 Pet 1:1-5; 2 Thes 1:3-5, 11-12**

## FOUR MARKS FOR A HEALTHY LOCAL CHURCH

1. Faithful preaching of and \_\_\_\_\_ to the Word of God (2 Tim 3:16-4:4)

2. \_\_\_\_\_ baptism and communion (Rom 6:4; 1 Cor 11:23-26)

3. Establishment of \_\_\_\_\_ leadership (Heb 3:17; Titus 1:5-9)

4. Participate in a \_\_\_\_\_ culture (1 Peter 5:1-5)

- Shepherding Culture - to \_\_\_\_\_ and be \_\_\_\_\_

> Consists of members who come under the Care and Correction of the local church while being clothed with \_\_\_\_\_

What does it mean to participate?

Be " \_\_\_\_\_ "

## THREE CALLINGS OF WHY I SHOULD BE "ALL IN"

1. Because I am called to heavenly \_\_\_\_\_ (Phil 1:27; 3:20-21)

2. Because I am called for \_\_\_\_\_ (Eph 2:10)

3. Because I am called as one of God's people (1 Peter 2:9-10)

## THESSALONIAN EXAMPLE (2 Thes 1:3-5; 11-12)

1. Be "ALL IN" for everyone's faith to \_\_\_\_\_  
and love to \_\_\_\_\_ (v 3)

2. Be "ALL IN" to \_\_\_\_\_ together (v 4)

- Jesus claim (Matt 16:18)
  - > Not "overpower" (katischuo) -
  - > "Church" "(ekklēsia) -
- \_\_\_\_\_ membership - Big "C"
- \_\_\_\_\_ membership - Little "c"

### How does being "ALL IN" help one another endure?

- Be trained through faithful preaching and \_\_\_\_\_  
to God's Word
- \_\_\_\_\_ baptism and personally \_\_\_\_\_ for  
communion
- \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ to godly leaders
- Being a part of a \_\_\_\_\_ culture

3. Be "ALL IN" and counted \_\_\_\_\_ of God's  
kingdom (v 5)

4. Be "ALL IN" so we \_\_\_\_\_ our Lord Jesus (v 11-12)

*I am sure of this, that he who started a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus. -Phil. 1:6*

