The Church of Lost Love

Revelation 2.1-7

“love”

Matthew 22:36-40; Matthew 10:37-38; John 14:21-23; 1 Corinthians 13:1-3; 2 Corinthians 5:14

I. We are called to faithfulness. (v. 1-3,6)

“Ephesus” (Acts 19:10, 27, 35)

“thou canst not bear them which are evil” (Ephesians 5:3-12)

“apostles” (Acts 1:12-26; Acts 26:16-18; 1 Corinthians 15:9-11; Matthew 7:15; 1 John 4:1; 2 John 7,10; 2 Corinthians 11:13-15; Acts 20:28-31)

“Nicolaitans” (Revelation 2:12-17; Acts 6:5

II. We are capable of drifting. (v. 4)

“left your first love” (Matthew 22:36-40; 2 John 6; Micah 6:6-8; Hosea 6:6; Matthew 15:8; 1 Corinthians 13:1-3)

III. We are encouraged to repentance. (v. 5,7)

“remember” (Jeremiah 2:1-2; 1 John 4:8-10,19)

“repent” (1 John 1:9)

“do the first works” (John 15:9-11)

“overcometh” (1 John 5:4-5)

“tree of life” (Genesis2:9; 3:22; Revelation 22:2,14,19)

Luke 18:9-14

Luke 10:38-42

Ephesians 6:24

“paradise” (2 Corinthians 12:4; Luke 23:43)