

Why do we do this?

We want to create an obvious path for growth in Christ and training for ministry. Many who attend CFC would like to get more involved "if only they knew where to start."

The CFC Steps are intended for...

- Longtime members who want to get more involved.
- New friends who are wondering if God is calling them to make CFC their church home.
- Christians who know they are called and need to be trained.
- Others who know they're called but aren't sure where.
- New believers who want to build a solid foundation.

Be like Todd.
Invest for a lifetime.

How long does it take to finish the steps?

You can finish the first three steps in about 3-6 months. Of course, ministry and leadership training is ongoing. Most of us don't mind making a strong commitment when there is a great purpose behind it.

Can I do any ministry I want?

Like always, we rely on the Holy Spirit to help us place people in ministries according to specific gifts and callings as well as the needs and requirements of the various ministries of our church.

Visit our website at www.cfcnampa.org for information on the various ministries of our church, upcoming classes, and more!



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CFC Steps: *How to get involved!*

...See Treasure Valley Todd.

... See Todd come to CFC.

...See Todd get connected.

...See Todd grow.

...See Todd go.

...See Todd invest for a lifetime.

**...go Todd,
GO!**

the CFC steps: An intentional step by step track to help you find your place in ministry, because maturity is not an option... you *need* it to minister to others.

From our Pastor...

"You are beginning an amazing journey and are making an investment for a lifetime. I want you to know that CFC is committed to seeing you grow in your walk with Christ. God is amazing... He thinks you are too!" -Pastor Monty

1. the first step!

Commitment to Christ
"Come... Meet Jesus!"

...**Spiritual Foundations** is a series of classes covering the essentials of your relationship with Christ. This class is vital for any who endeavor to follow Christ, but it is also ideal if you are curious about the basics of the Christian faith or are interested in renewing your relationship with God. It is offered on a regular basis so you can get started any time.

...**Baptism** is encouraged for all new believers who want to follow Jesus in obedience and publicly testify of their new life in Christ.

2. the second step!

Commitment to Membership
"Connect... with Others!"

...**H.O.M.E. Groups** are Homes Open for Ministry and Encouragement. These small groups are hosted in homes and provide the opportunity for you to connect through fellowship, grow through discipleship, develop your ministry, and share in the Christian walk. Everyone is invited. This very essential, life-giving ministry is offered twice a month. Go online or visit our display in the foyer for more information.

...**Membership 101** is held regularly as a way to get acquainted with CFC - our unique vision, purpose, values, strategy, and beliefs. It's a great opportunity to hear our Pastor's heart, learn about our church, and continue your journey here at CFC.

3. the third step!

Commitment to Maturity
"Grow... in Christ!"

...**Finding Your Ministry** is a class intended to help you discover your spiritual gifts and God-given passions. You will learn where to get plugged in so that you can better use your gifts in meaningful ministry. A free gifts assessment tool is provided for all participants.

...**Spiritual Growth** takes place through our CFC Life classes held every Wednesday night at 7:00 pm. You are also invited to attend our Leadership Summits, Specialized Ministry Training, and our monthly Ministry Leader's Meetings.

4. the fourth step!

Commitment to Ministry
"Go... and Serve!"

...**"Invest and Invite"** is not a class but a way of life at CFC. We believe that everyone is called to serve. Jesus commands us to go and share our faith by inviting others to come meet Jesus. By offering yourself in service to Christ, you are making an investment for a lifetime.

growing in Christ...

...is **NOT** automatic.

...is **INTENTIONAL** and **PURPOSEFUL**.

...is **PRACTICAL** and involves learned **SKILLS** and **HABITS**.

...is most often a **PROCESS** - with growth spurts - that takes some **TIME**.

...includes **BELIEFS** which become **BEHAVIORS**; **KNOWLEDGE** that produces **FRUIT**.

...requires **RELATIONSHIPS**, because "*we don't do life alone.*"

...usually requires a wide **VARIETY** of experiences including: prayer, giving, worship, **FRIENDSHIP**, and **KNOWING GOD** and His Word.