

1. BIBLICAL COMMUNITY IS FORMED AROUND JESUS (Acts 2:41; 4:33)

“Christian brotherhood is not an ideal which we must realize; it is rather a reality created by God in Christ in which we may participate.” – Dietrich Bonhoeffer

2. BIBLICAL COMMUNITY IS UNIFIED BY THE HOLY SPIRIT (Acts 2:44; 4:32; John 17:21-23; 1 Cor 12:12-14)

3. BIBLICAL COMMUNITY IS A LOVING FAMILY (1 John 4:7-8; John 13:34-35)

"Loving one another" is the essential reality of life together in biblical community.

4. BIBLICAL COMMUNITY IS TRANSFORMATIVE (Romans 12:2-5; Acts 2:42; James 5:16; Hebrews 3:12-13)

5. BIBLICAL COMMUNITY IS A SHARING AND CARING COMMUNITY (Acts 2:42,44; Romans 12:15)

When we share we show we care. Love in action

6. BIBLICAL COMMUNITY IS A DEVOTED “ONE ANOTHER” COMMUNITY