



WELCOME! This morning we're beginning a study of four new realities that accompany a life of faith in our current period of time, the Church Age. The apostle Paul described believers in Jesus as being "released from the law, having died to that which held us captive, so that we serve in the *new way*" with significant differences from all that came before. Thank you for joining us in worship today!

Participate

WORSHIP WITH US THROUGH
ORDINANCES AND TRADITIONS

- » **CHILD DEDICATION, MAY 4:** Parents, commit your children to the Lord as we welcome them into our community. *Sign up in Church Center if your family would like to dedicate a child during a worship service.*
- » **LORD'S SUPPER, MAY 18:** Share in the bread and cup that symbolize our unity through the sacrifice of Jesus Christ. *Gluten-free servings are available at the back of the room for those who need them.*
- » **BELIEVER'S BAPTISM, JUNE 8:** Proclaim your faith to your church family and follow Jesus in the practice of water baptism. *Sign up in Church Center if you'd like to be baptized during a worship service.*
- » **GIVE AT ANY TIME:** Financial giving in Grace Church is an act of worship to be done freely, joyously, and only as prompted by the Lord. *Gifts can be made at any offering box or online through Church Center.*

- I. Faith in the Church Age
 - A. New Way of Love
 - B. New Way of the Spirit
 - C. New Way of Community
 - D. New Way of Living
- II. A New Command — John 13:31–35
 - A. The Who
 - B. The How
 - C. The Why
- III. The Way of Love — 1 Corinthians 13:1–8

Notes

CAPTURE YOUR THOUGHTS
IN THE SPACE BELOW

Takeaways

PROMPTS TO CONSIDER, DISCUSS, AND APPLY WHAT YOU'VE HEARD THIS MORNING

- » When have you witnessed sacrificial love?
- » What impact did that have on you?
- » What is new about Jesus' command to love one another?
- » What is challenging about loving the way Jesus models?
- » Who do you find it difficult to love?
- » What would it look like for our church to be known by love?

Announcement

FEATURED NEWS
FOR YOU TODAY



The Gideons are an association of Christian professionals dedicated to telling people about Jesus by providing access to the Bible so God's Word is available to those who want it — as well as to those who may not yet realize they need it! They have been our ministry partners for many years, sharing our view of the Bible's importance in local communities. Learn more online at [Gideons.org](https://www.gideons.org)

If you'd like to support The Gideons financially this morning, you may give toward their ministries in either of the following ways:

- » **CHECKS DESIGNATED FOR THE GIDEONS** may be given in the offering box this morning, and the total of these funds will be passed along to them.
- » **ANY CASH GIFTS** placed in the offering boxes this morning will also be given to The Gideons for use in their ministries.

Learn More

WHERE TO GET ANSWERS
AND FIND INFORMATION

WELCOME CENTER: Stop by and talk with us this morning

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER: Calendar, news, and more info

WEBSITE: Find detailed info online at [gracechurch.com](https://www.gracechurch.com)

CHURCH CENTER APP: Stay connected and go paperless ➡

