APOSTLES CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; He descended to the dead. On the third day He rose again; He ascended into heaven, He is seated at the right hand of the Father, and He will come to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.
Acts 2:42-47
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7 Marks of a NT Church

- Evangelistic Proclamation
- Christian Baptism
- Apostolic Teaching
- Genuine Relationships
- Christ Centered Gatherings
- Fervent Prayer
- Sacrificial Living

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Devoted: Lit = steady persistence; to persist obstinately in; to adhere firmly to

- Received the word Mt 13
- Retained the word 2 Tim 2:2
- Acted on the word Heb 5:14
Notice The Content Of The Apostles Teaching

• Primary use of the OT
• What they personally knew of Jesus
• What Paul learned directly from Jesus

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Notice When and Where The Apostles Teaching Took Place

- Temple Courts: Corporate
- House To House: Small Group
- 1 to 1: Discipleship
- Individual: Personal Study
3 Questions

• **What is YOUR attitude to the Word of God?**
• **Do YOU know what you believe?**
• **Are you involved in different ways of study?**  (Consider adding 1!)