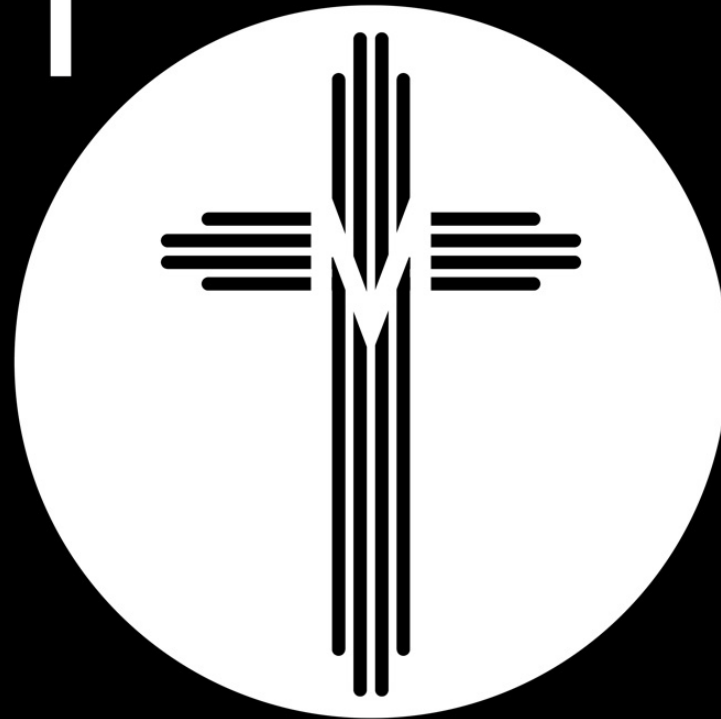


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1 Timothy 6:3-10

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Pay careful attention to yourselves and to all the flock, in which the Holy Spirit has made you overseers, to care for the church of God, which he obtained with his own blood. I know that after my departure fierce wolves will come in among you, not sparing the flock; and from among your own selves will arise men speaking twisted things, to draw away the disciples after them. Therefore be alert, remembering that for three years I did not cease night or day to admonish every one with tears.

Acts 20:28-31

1 Timothy 6:3-10

(1) The False Teacher's Doctrine:  
That Which Is Contrary To Scripture (v3-4a)

Not many of you should become teachers, my brothers, for you know that we who teach will be judged with greater strictness.

James 3:1

...desiring to be teachers of the law, without understanding either what they are saying or the things about which they make confident assertions.

1 Timothy 1:7



But avoid foolish controversies, genealogies, dissensions, and quarrels about the law, for they are unprofitable and worthless. As for a person who stirs up division, after warning him once and then twice, have nothing more to do with him, knowing that such a person is warped and sinful; he is self-condemned.

Titus 3:9-11

(2) The False Teacher's Behavior:  
Unhealthy Actions Devoid Of The Truth  
(v4b-5)

2 Corinthians 11:1-6, 12-15

But false prophets also arose among the people, just as there will be false teachers among you, who will secretly bring in destructive heresies, even denying the Master who bought them, bringing upon themselves swift destruction. And many will follow their sensuality, and because of them the way of truth will be blasphemed. And in their greed they will exploit you with false words. Their condemnation from long ago is not idle, and their destruction is not asleep.

2 Peter 2:1-3

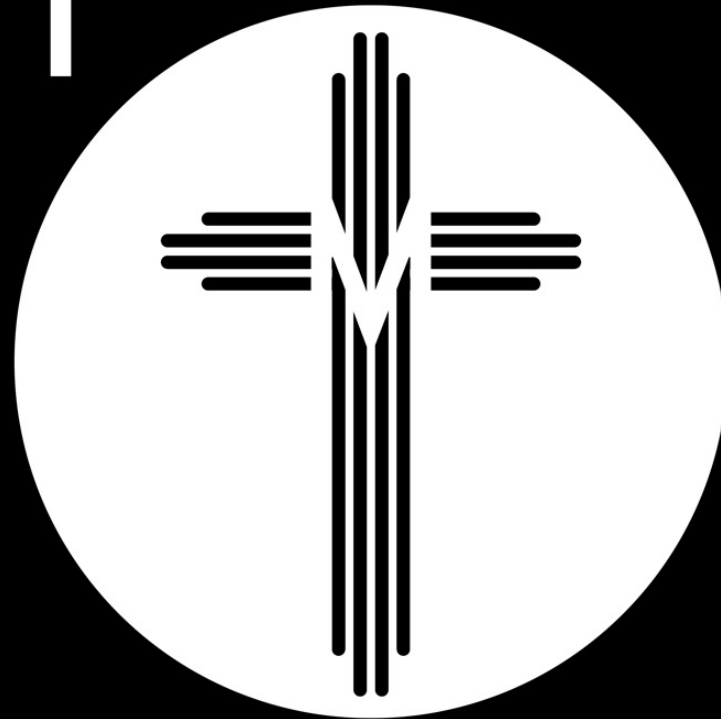
(3) The False Teacher's Motivation:  
An Idolatrous Desire For Present Gain (v6-10)

“No one can serve two masters, for either he will hate the one and love the other, or he will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and money.

Matthew 6:24

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