

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
SERMON NOTES
NOVEMBER 14, 2021**

**"FBC, MOVING FORWARD: 3 Cs"
Colossians 3:15-17**

"Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, since as members of one body you were called to peace. And be thankful. ¹⁶ Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly as you teach and admonish one another with all wisdom, and as you sing psalms, hymns and spiritual songs with gratitude in your hearts to God. ¹⁷ And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him."

This morning we will turn our attention to 3 indispensable "Cs" for moving our church forward! I have always believed that building the future of the church takes:

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it takes _____

(which are all part of our "_____"):

A. _____. Why? Well, because...

1) _____
(Genesis 1:1, 2 Cor. 5:17)

2) _____

(Matthew 25:14-30, [The Parable of the Talents])

3) _____
(Mark 2:21f)

B. _____. Why? Well, because...

1) _____
(Luke 11:17)

2) _____

(1 Corinthians 12:12)

3) _____
(John 13:35)

C. _____. Why? Well, because...

1) _____
(Matthew 6:33)

2) _____

(Luke 9:62)

3) _____

(Colossians 3:17)

Our Lord is not fond of being an "also ran" (one among many), He wants to be the *center* of our lives!

"Let's commit ourselves to pursue and to encourage these three indispensable 'Cs' within our church and in our own lives: Creativity, Cooperation and Commitment – for the Glory of God!"

Additional notes: _____

