

With God

With Each Other

With a Mission

Life For God

Using God to avoid danger & secure blessing by actively living for a purpose greater than myself.
I can save myself by what I do
Activist

Life From God

Using God to avoid danger & secure blessing by understanding God as a holy vending machine
I can save myself by what I get
Consumerist

Life Over God

Using God to avoid danger & secure blessing by harvesting his principles
I can save myself by what I learn
Strategist

Life Under God

Using God to avoid danger & secure blessing by obeying his rules
I can save myself by what I don't do
Moralist

Life With God

God is not a means to an end, he is the end himself.
Control is an illusion I cannot save myself
I am in relationship with God
Faith is the courage to let go and rest in God's care for me through Christ. **Hope** is the peace and assurance that we experience as we journey through life. **Love** is the realization that we are caught in the arms of eternal love.
(Ps 23:4, John 10:27-28, 1 Cor 15:54-58, Matt 28:20, Rom 8:31-39)

Forces that fight against true community

Individualism -- ME
Consumerism -- TAKING
Materialism -- GETTING

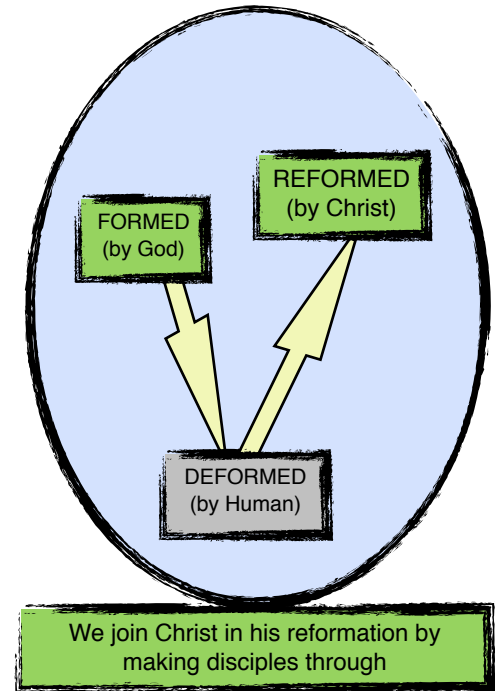
SELF LOVE

Father / Son / Holy Spirit
Our God is a relational community

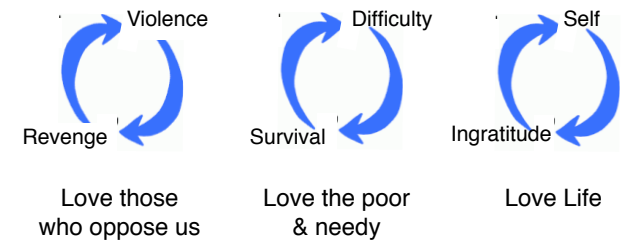
Community -- US
Family -- SHARING
Body -- GIVING

SELFLESS LOVE

(Rom 12:4-13, Eph 2:17-20, Acts 4:32-37)



- Telling the good news of God's story**
- Showing the good news of God's story by breaking cycles of deformity**



- Welcoming people into the good news of God's story "belong before belief"**

(Eph 4:15-16, Matt 28:18-20, Matt 24:14, Luke 6:27-35, James 1:27, 1 Thess 5:16-18, John 13:34-35)