

DOING MY PART

"He makes the whole body fit together perfectly. As each part does its own special work, it helps the other parts grow, so that the whole body is healthy and growing and full of love." – Ephesians 4:16 (NLT)

As the body of Christ the church thrives when every partner does his/her part. At Nags Head Church we understand the Bible says "my part" includes these attitudes and actions. Here's "My Part".

1. I WILL PROTECT THE UNITY OF MY CHURCH

- · By acting in love toward others in the fellowship.
- · By refusing to gossip.
- · By following the leaders.

"So let us concentrate on the things which make for harmony, and on the growth of our fellowship together." Romans 15:19 (Ph)

"Have a sincere love for your fellow believers, love one another earnestly with all your hearts." 1 Peter 1:22 (TEV)

"Do not let any unwholesome talk come out of your mouths, but only what is helpful for building others up according to their needs..." Ephesians 4:29

"Obey your leaders and submit to their authority. They keep watch over you as men who must give an account. Obey them so that their work will be a joy, not a burden, for that would be no advantage to you." Hebrews 13:17

2. I WILL SHARE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF MY CHURCH

- · By praying for its health.
- By investing in the lives of the unchurched and inviting them to attend.
- · By warmly accepting people as they are.

"To the church ... we always thank God for you and pray for you constantly." 1 Thessalonians 1:2

"The Master said to the servant, 'Go out to the roads and country lanes, and urge the people there to come so my house will be full." Luke 14:23 (NCV)

"So accept each other just as Christ has accepted you; then God will be glorified." Romans 15:7

3. I WILL SERVE THE MINISTRY OF MY CHURCH

- · By discovering my gifts and talents.
- · By being equipped to serve by my pastors.
- · By developing a servant's heart.

"Serve one another with the particular gifts God has given each of you..." 1 Peter 4:10 (Ph)

"God gave...some to be pastors and teachers to prepare God's people for works of ministry, so that the body of Christ may be built up..." Ephesians 4:11-12

"Each of you should look not only to your own interests, but also to the interests of others. Your attitude should be the same as that of Jesus Christ...who took on the very nature of a servant..." Philippians 2:3-4, 7

4. I WILL SUPPORT THE TESTIMONY OF MY CHURCH

- · By attending gatherings faithfully.
- · By living a godly life.
- · By giving regularly as God enables me.

"Let us not give up the habit of meeting together...but let us encourage one another." Hebrews 10:25

"But whatever happens, make sure that your everyday life is worthy of the gospel of Christ." Philippians 1:27 (Ph)

"Each one of you, on the first day of each week, should set aside a specific sum of money in proportion to what you have earned and use it for the offering." 1 Corinthians 16:2

For God's glory in my life, in the church in our community and in the world.

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