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7 Characteristics of a Christ-Centered Church:

1) JESUS Is the FOUNDATION

Acts 2:38, *Peter replied, "Repent and be baptized, every one of you, in the name of Jesus Christ for the forgiveness of your sins. And you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. 39 The promise is for you and your children and for all who are far off—for all whom the Lord our God will call."*

1 Peter 2:4, *As you come to him, the living Stone—rejected by humans but chosen by God and precious to him— 5 you also, like living stones, are being built into a spiritual house to be a holy priesthood, offering spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ.*

Acts 2:40, *With many other words he warned them; and he pleaded with them, "Save yourselves from this corrupt generation." 41 Those who accepted his message were baptized, and about three thousand were added to their number that day.*

2) THE BIBLE Is the SOURCE OF TRUTH

Acts 2:42a, *They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer.*

3) FELLOWSHIP Is ORGANIC

Acts 2:42b, *They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer.*

4) PRAYER Is a NECESSITY

Acts 2:42c, *They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer.*

5) SERVING Is a PRIORITY

Acts 2:43, *Everyone was filled with awe at the many wonders and signs performed by the apostles. 44 All the believers were together and had everything in common. 45 They sold property and possessions to give to anyone who had need.*

6) WORSHIP Is CONTINUAL and COMMUNAL

Acts 2:46, *Every day they continued to meet together in the temple courts. They broke bread in their homes and ate together with glad and sincere hearts, 47 praising God and enjoying the favor of all the people...*

7) MULTIPLICATION Is URGENT

Acts 2:47, *...And the Lord added to their number daily those who were being saved.*