



**Sunday, October 28, 2018 – Maureen Brown**

**“Train One Another in Obedience”**

Matthew 16:13-17, 1 John 2:3-6

### Questions for Reflection and Discussion:

(These are to be used personally, with family or with your Small Group)

“Follow Me” is an invitation to living a life of daily response to Jesus and at the core of that life is discipleship. In this series we are walking through our four discipleship steps:

- Create Community
- Experience and Model Jesus Love
- Train One Another in Obedience
- Serve and Proclaim the Gospel

1. This Sunday we focused on the discipleship step “Train One Another in Obedience.” What has been significant for you in this series so far in relationship to the steps “Create Community” and “Experience and Model Jesus Love?”
2. Read Matthew 16:13-17. How did Simon Peter answer the question, “Who do you say I am?” What is significant in vs 17 of this passage?
3. There are many names for Jesus in the Bible. Spend some time looking up and listing these names. Which names for Jesus do you identify with the most?
4. In this series, we have been reminded that we follow a person, not a set of rules; however, last week we read all the commands of Christ that we are to obey. Read John 14:15. What does this say about our relationship with who we follow and those commands?
5. Read 1 John 2:3-6 in several translations. What does this verse say about keeping the commands of Jesus? If we claim to be followers of Jesus, how do we need to live?

6. The disciples learned how to live like Jesus, by being with Jesus. When we read about how Jesus taught and trained His disciples, the Bible often uses the phrase “as they walked along.” When you think about that phrase in relationship to how Jesus disciplined, what does that say to you about how we should disciple one another?
7. Our moderator, Jim Davidson shared a story of obedience in the service on Sunday. What impacted you in Jim’s story? How does this relate to our discipleship step “Train One Another in Obedience?”

### Next Steps

We have reflected on the truth that if we claim to live in Christ, we must walk in the same manner as He walked. With that in mind, what are some steps that you feel led to take after reflecting on these passages. Share these thoughts with your group and spend some time praying for one another.

Pray also for those that our church has sent out to share the Gospel in other parts of the world. Pray that they would know and experience Jesus’ love and feel His presence very close as they walk in obedience and pour out His love to those around them.