

Vision for PE Church

- We are people who listen and obey (*Shema*)
 - Die to self
 - Put God and His family first
- We are one
- We are our brother's keeper
- We are Kingdom announcers

We are Sunday people in a Friday world !

Die to self

- Luke 9 : 22 – 23
 - Denying self is an ongoing process
 - Put aside our wants and desires and do what God wants
- Revelations 2 : 1 – 5
 - Have you lost your first love ?
 - Do you love to spend time with God in prayer ?
 - Do you have a thirst to read God's word ?
 - How close are your relationships with your brothers & sisters ?
 - Do you make every effort to attend meetings of the body ?
 - Do you enjoy meeting with the body ?
 - To what extent do you serve the body ?

Die to self (cont)

- 1 John 2 : 3 -6
 - We know God through obeying Him
 - Our love for God grows with our knowledge & obedience
 - Loving God = knowing God = obeying God = reading His word

Put God's family first

- Jesus redefined concept of family
(Luke 8 : 19-21, Luke 9 : 57-60, Luke 14 : 25-27)
- Exodus 20 : 12 – still love and honour our parents
- 1 Corinthians 12 : 12-27
 - all parts of body are equally important
 - all have a role to play
 - for our own sake and for the body
- Galatians 6 : 6-9