

Why I Love the Church of Christ

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Lk. 8:11 - The seed principle
- 1 Pet. 1:22

Mt. 16:13-18

1. This was said in future tense.
2. It's possessive - "My church." (cf. Acts 20:28; Eph. 5:25)
3. It's singular in number. Jesus only built one church.
 - Eph. 4:4-7; cf. 1:22-23
 - Acts 20:28 - "the church" (the one and the only one).
 - "One would do as well to ask, 'What God do you believe in' as 'what church are you a part of.'"
4. It is the sphere of the saved.
 - Eph. 5:22
 - Col. 1:13; Acts 2:35-38, 41, 47
 - 1 Tim. 3:15