



Churches Under Christ Newsletter

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Greetings in the name of Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior and one and only head of **HIS** churches.
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- Matthew 16:18 "And I say also unto thee, That thou art Peter, and upon this rock **I** will build **my** church; and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it."
- Ephesians 1:22 "And hath put all things under his feet, and gave **him to be the head over all things to the church.**"

A BRIEF REVIEW OF THE RECENT DEVELOPMENTS AND ACTIVITIES

New names were added to the mailing list in February. Also, I am working with a few churches who are organizing or reorganizing according to King James Bible New Testament church doctrine by establishing a Bible trust relationship. I did several conference calls with pastors and church members in February. In addition, I spent some time answering questions concerning property tax, 501(c)(3) or 508 status and other matters.

I continue to receive and respond to e-mails and calls from various persons: pastors who wish to organize churches under the Lord Jesus Christ only, believers who are talking to their pastors about church corporate 501(c)(3) status, and from others concerning 501(c)(3), non-profit corporation, and other matters.

In addition to the inquiries from good men of God, I receive numerous inquiries from heretics, apostates, and even cultists. Please pray that the Lord will give me discernment to recognize and deal with them quickly and appropriately. I have spent hours with some of them, including advising them and even sending them books, before understanding that I had been deceived. Please pray that the Lord will give me better discernment.

I published no articles or essays in February. However, I did publish an e-mail inquiry and reply to that enquiry which exemplifies one of the many heretical and Satanic phone calls, texts, and e-mails I receive on a regular basis. See [Question and reply concerning setting up a trust for a "ministry" from a "prophetess" dedicated to "the manifestation of prophecies."](#) See also, for links to more questions and answers: [Questions and Answers on Various Topics.](#)

Praise the Lord for using this ministry for His Glory!!!!

FUTURE ACTIVITIES

Working together with you, we can continue to educate and help knowledgeable churches who want to organize under the Lord Jesus Christ and Him only. Hopefully many new churches as well as existing churches will become “lighthouses” for this cause.

Jerald Finney, the New Testament church organization evangelist out of Charity Baptist Tabernacle, will be available at all times for calls, questions, comments, suggestions, etc. from churches and interested believers. As long as the Lord directs, leads, and keeps my health, I will daily be fighting the Lord’s church organizational battles: writing, researching, studying, teaching, discussing, counseling, helping, organizing, etc.

Some specific activities which we have implemented or plan to implement include:

- Opening communication between those in the BLC circle of believers.
- Conference calls and/or online conferences to actively include church members whose churches are already organized under the Declaration of Trust and other interested parties. For example I would love any BLC pastor or other church member who wants to share his story to have a forum such communications. I have been privy to some amazing stories which blessed me and would bless and inspire others.
- A yearly church organization conference at CBT or some other central location.
- State and regional organization as well as national organization.
- Podcasts.
- Classes here in Amarillo covering the Doctrine of the Church and church corporate 501c3 status.

We will go forward as the Lord leads. Your comments, suggestions, teachings, and testimonials are helpful to the cause and greatly appreciated by all concerned.

Featured Sermons, Essays, and Books

Sermons: Go to the sermons page of the Biblical Law Center: Separation of Church and State/The Biblical Principles and the American Application website (<https://jeraldfinney.com/miscellaneous/sermons/>) for links to great relevant sermons such as Dr. Greg Dixon 2005 sermon "**Authority, The Greatest Thing In The Universe**", Jerald Finney’s message, “**Is an Incorporated 501(c)3 Church a Church of Christ?**” [The Rose of Sharon](#) (Transcript of a sermon depicting the love relationship between Christ and His local visible church, emphasizing the importance of organization under Christ only as opposed to corporate 501c3 or 508 status or legal status of any kind) etc.

See above for essays, articles, and replies to questions published in January 2019.

[Click here to go to Essays, Articles, and Replies to Relevant Questions.](#)

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