



# FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

## **Love's Beauty** **1 Cor. 13:4 - 7** **Life Group Questions** **02/06/11**

### **Getting Started**

Think back to the family environment you grew up in. Did you know you were loved? Why or why not? What positive ways of communicating love are you taking from your early family days and applying to your current family? Why?

- 1) Read 1 Corinthians 13:4-7. In these verses Paul defines love with multiple descriptors. Which descriptors of loving come easy to you? Which aspects of loving do you find difficult?
- 2) Read verses 4 & 5 again. According to these verses love is what? What, according to verses 4 & 5 is love not? Where do you tend to struggle in loving?
- 3) Read verses 6. What does love never do? What does this mean? As Christians do we fail in this area? Why?
- 4) Read verses 6 & 7. What does love always do? In what ways do you see this working in your life? Who has come the closest to living out these verses toward you personally? What factor(s) enabled that person to demonstrate such love for you? What changes do you need to experience to demonstrate this kind of love for others?

### **Making It Real**

Spend time praying for each other specifically in the area loving others.