

4 Questions for the passage (self-study):

What is God teaching us about Himself?

What is God teaching us about our self?

What is God teaching us about others?

So what?

You Belong - Be part of something bigger than you!

Be Part of the Future!

“The harvest is plentiful, but the workers are few. Ask the Lord of the harvest to send out workers into His harvest field” Matthew 9:37-38

October 30, 2022 – Pastor Matt

Sept 25 – What does God want? Relationship!

Oct 2 – Be in relationship with God - Worship

Oct 9 – Be in a relationship with each other - Fellowship

Oct 16 – Understand our relationships - Discipleship

Oct 23 – Live out our relationships - Service

Oct 30 – Invite others into a relationship - Evangelism

Focus Text: Matthew 28:18-20

Big picture:

As Jesus' Church, what should we **BE** and **DO**?

- Great **COMMAND**
- Great **COMMISSION**

By the Grace of God, FSBC will be a place where people...

- Can **CELEBRATE** the ongoing work of Jesus
- Can **CONNECT** relationally because of Jesus
- Can **GROW** spiritually following Jesus
- Can **HELP** others for Jesus in & out of the church
- Can **INTRODUCE** people to new life in Jesus

Goal: Define, Communicate, and **INVOLVE**

Jesus wants His Church to Worship, Fellowship, Disciple, Serve, and **SHARE** the good news of salvation.

Go and make **DISCIPLES**...

- To go means as you are **GOING**

The reason the Church exists is fulfill the priorities of **JESUS**

What was the priority of Jesus **COMING**? **GOOD** News

Think about it

- A person cannot worship God without **NEW LIFE**
- A person cannot really love others without new life
- A person cannot grow spiritually without new life
- A person cannot eternally impact others through their actions without **NEW LIFE**

Everything we do or ever hope to be is not based upon what we **GET** but what we have been **GIVEN** and called to **GIVE**

Is it hard to share the Gospel?

- **LOW** Threat
- **MEDIUM** Threat
- **HIGH** Threat

Whose **JOB** is it to save people? We are called to **PLOW** and plant – God brings **LIFE** and growth

To build community, we will use:

1. Ministry Action **PLAN** (MAP)
2. Ministry Action **TEAM** (MAT)
3. Ministry Action **MEASURE** (MAM)

If it happens on Sunday morning... Worship

If it is about building community... Fellowship

If it is helping people grow Spiritually... Disciple

If it is helping people in and out of the church... Service

If it is introducing people to Jesus... **EVANGELISM**

Sharing the love of God with others is the **THRUST** of the Bible. How can you be involved?

Here are the MASTs under the Evangelism MAT:

- Missions offerings (State, Annie Armstrong, Lottie Moon),
- Trail Life & American Heritage Girls
- Local Missions (VBS, Fall Fes, Christmas, Easter, Block party),
- Revivals/Special Events
- State missions (Disaster relief, church plants)
- National Missions (Denver, St Louis)
- International Missions (Zambia?)
- Evangelism Training/Encounters

No **NAG**, only **GROW**

Who do you talk to get involved? Pat, Jackie, Carl

What will be the **COMMUNICATION** of my life?

Step 1: **BELIEVE**

Step 2: **BELONG**

Step 3: **BECOME**



SERMON NOTES

The Church that Jesus commissioned is a Church that must be a Disciple-Making Church! The Bible shows a disciple is one who has encountered Christ, been changed by Christ and is following Christ with other believers.

I see the Sunday message as one part of the disciple-making process, so I am intentional with sermon notes. Please note:

1. The blanks that are provided are intended to provide a framework for God's message to you.
2. The personal insight blanks are intended for you to reflect on what God is saying to you.
3. The sermon notes and your notes are intended for us to move through an intentional, discipleship process.

I pray today's message strengthens you in your walk with Jesus and the overflow impacts others!

Pastor Matt