

Cornerstone Baptist Church

"...Jesus Christ himself being the chief corner stone;" Eph. 2:20

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Adult Bible Study

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Get Plugged into the Mission:

The Fruit of the Church

Hebrews 10:25

"...desire the sincere milk of the word, that ye may grow thereby:"

Churches grow when people grow. The Church is the most powerful organism on the planet (Matthew 28:18). No power can overcome the Church (Isaiah 54:17; Matthew 16:18). Churches die because their members die spiritually. There is no power in the building, the property, the sign, or even the name of our Church. The power and effectiveness of the Church lies in the unified efforts of a Spirit-filled membership! You cannot be right with God and be disconnected from your local Church (I Timothy 3:15). How can we get plugged into our Church?

I. By Following what Christ Illustrated

I Timothy 1:15

Luke 19:10 _____

The Mission of the Church is very simple—seeing people Saved, Baptized, and Added to the Church. Jesus was daily motivated by a need to see people get saved (Mark 2:17).

What are some examples of Christ illustrating being a soul winner or reaching people? _____

II. By Fulfilling what Christ Instructed

Matthew 4:19

Christ has given us the Great Commission in the Gospels and in Acts. Acts 1:8 shows us Christ's burden for the lost:

1. The Unreceptive – Jerusalem
2. The Unworthy – Judaea – a barren, lonely wilderness
3. The Unwanted – Samaria – This signifies crossing racial barriers and prejudices
4. The Unreached – the Uttermost part of the earth

What are some examples of these types of people in our area and how can we reach them? _____

III. By Finishing what Christ Initiated

1. He has given us the Spirit Acts 1:8
2. He has given us the Scriptures II Timothy 3:15
3. He has given us the Solution Romans 10:14

The Gospel is not good news if it doesn't get there in time.

Amy Carmichael said, "We have all eternity to celebrate the victories but only a few hours before sunset to win them."

God has given us all the supplies we need, so why don't we go? _____

