

# PURSUE CHRIST

## INTENTIONALLY

PRAYER ~ OUTREACH ~ DISCIPLESHIP

Outreach – Part 1

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TRUTH: God's plan for the church is to love God and love others (Mark 12:30-31) by being witnesses for Christ to the world around us (Acts 1:8) and by making disciples (Matt 28:18-20) to build His Kingdom (Matt 6:33) and bring Him glory (John 17:4).

“Be the Hands and Feet of the Gospel”

Your motivation for sharing Christ's love with others is your love for Christ.

## What does it mean to love Christ?

- To love Christ means to pursue first His Kingdom and His righteousness (Matt 6:33)
- To love Christ means you must develop a heart of love for those who need Christ (Mark 12:30-31)
- To love Christ means you must be intentional about witnessing for Christ outside the church (Acts 1:8)
- To love Christ means you must be intentional about making disciples (Matt 28:18-20)

When you seek first His Kingdom and His righteousness,  
God is Glorified

## How to pray for those who need a relationship with Christ

- Let the Holy Spirit lead me to cultivate a relationship with someone who needs Christ and shower them with Christ's love
- Open the mind and heart and heart of that person to receive the truth about the good news
- Use me to show them how repentance of sin leads to freedom from sin
- Help me present the Gospel clearly using my personal testimony
- The Holy Spirit will convict the person of sin, convince him/her of the truth, and transform the heart

## BOTTOM LINE

Outreach begins with your mind as you understand that you are His witness to the world. It continues in your heart as you reach out to others with the love of Christ.