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What is the Church?



Problems with the Church



3-5 YEARS LATER

Acts 1:8

You will be my witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth.

Complaints Acts 6:1 ESV Now in these days when the disciples were increasing in number, a complaint arose

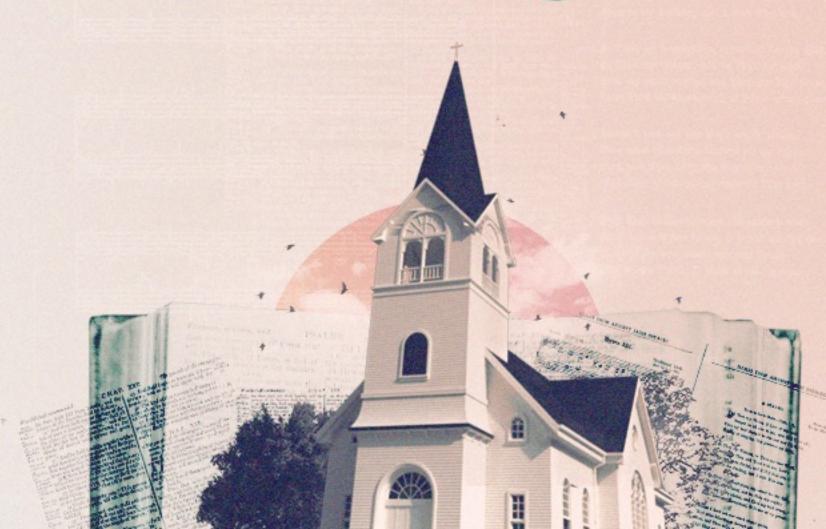
Planning

Acts 6:3

Therefore, brothers, pick out from among you seven men of good repute, full of the Spirit and of wisdom, whom we will appoint to this duty.

Full of Wisdom Acts 6:10 ESV

But they could not withstand the wisdom and the Spirit with which he was speaking.



Proclaim Jesus

Acts 7:59-60

And as they were stoning Stephen, he called out, "Lord Jesus, receive my spirit."he cried out with a loud voice, "Lord, do not hold this sin against them.

Providence

Acts 8:1

And there arose on that day a great persecution against the church in Jerusalem, and they were all scattered throughout the regions of Judea and Samaria

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