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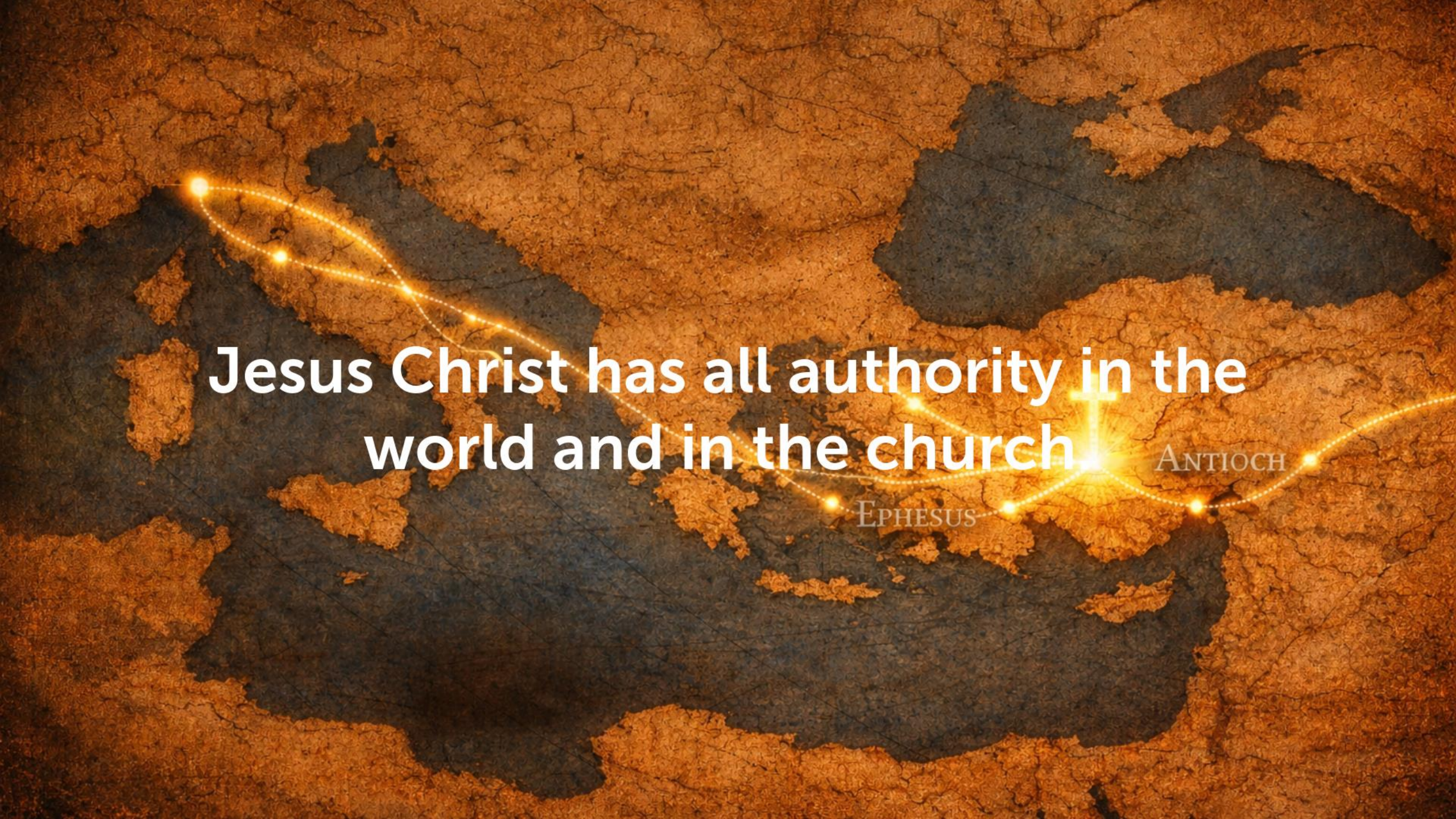
ACTS 13-28

ANTIOCH

EPHESUS

Matthew 16:13-20

The Authority of the Church

The background is a map of the Eastern Mediterranean region, including the Middle East and parts of Europe and Africa. The map is rendered in a dark, textured style with a golden-brown, cracked, parchment-like appearance. A glowing, golden path of light, composed of small dots connected by a thin line, winds across the map. It starts in the upper left, curves down and right, then loops back to the left, and finally curves down and right again, ending near the coast of Turkey. Along this path, there are several bright, glowing points. Two of these points are labeled with the names 'EPHESUS' and 'ANTIOCH' in a light, serif font. The text 'Jesus Christ has all authority in the world and in the church' is overlaid in the center of the map in a large, white, sans-serif font.

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EPHESUS

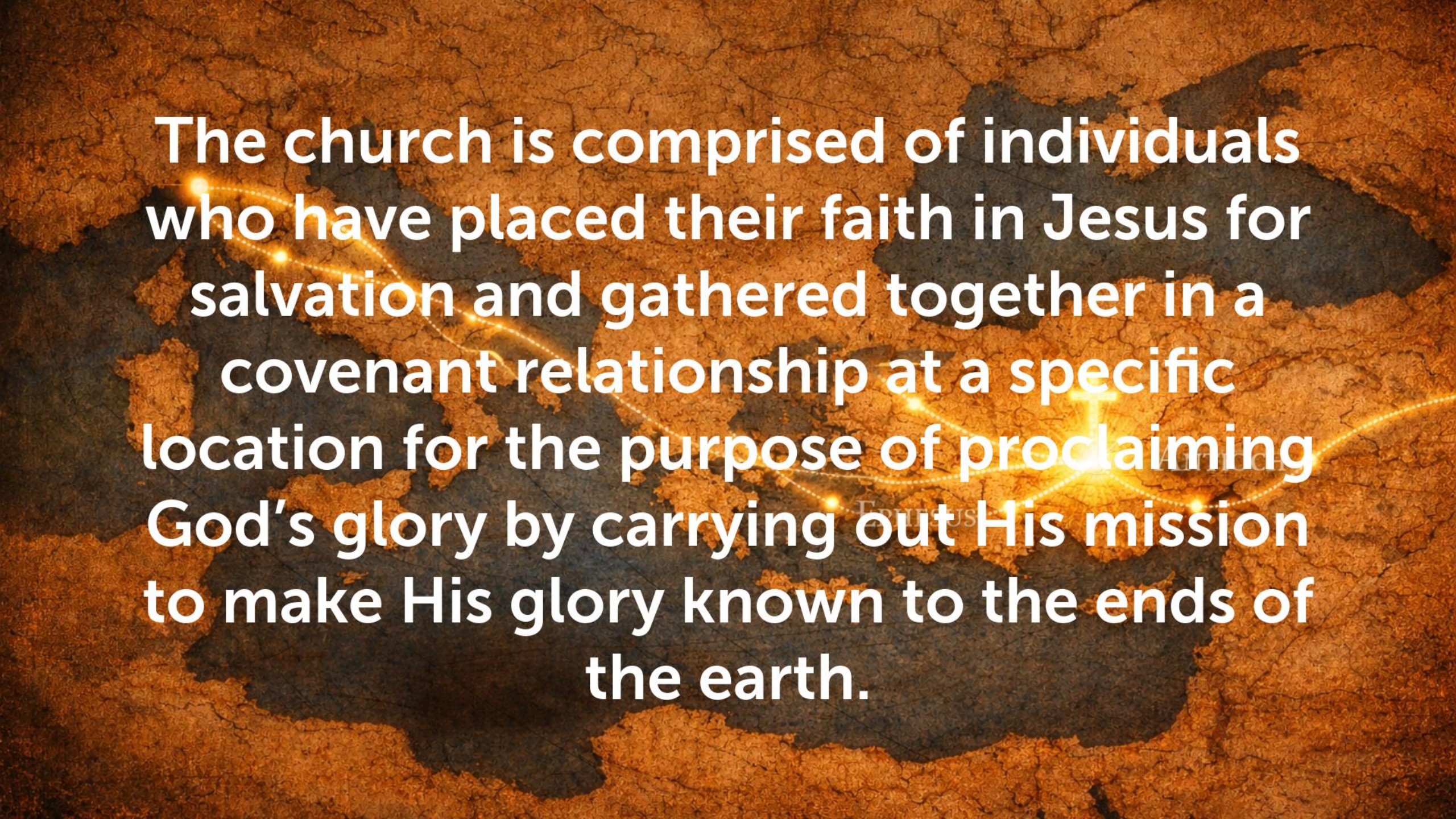
ANTIOCH

The background is a textured, brownish-gold surface resembling cracked earth or parchment. A dark, irregular shape represents the Eastern Mediterranean region. Overlaid on this is a glowing orange-yellow line that forms a path. The path starts with two points in the upper left, curves down and to the right, then splits into two branches. One branch leads to a bright, multi-pointed starburst labeled 'ANTIOCH' on the right. The other branch leads to a smaller point labeled 'EPHESUS' below the starburst. The text 'Christ Has Given His Authority to The Church.' is centered in white, bold, sans-serif font.

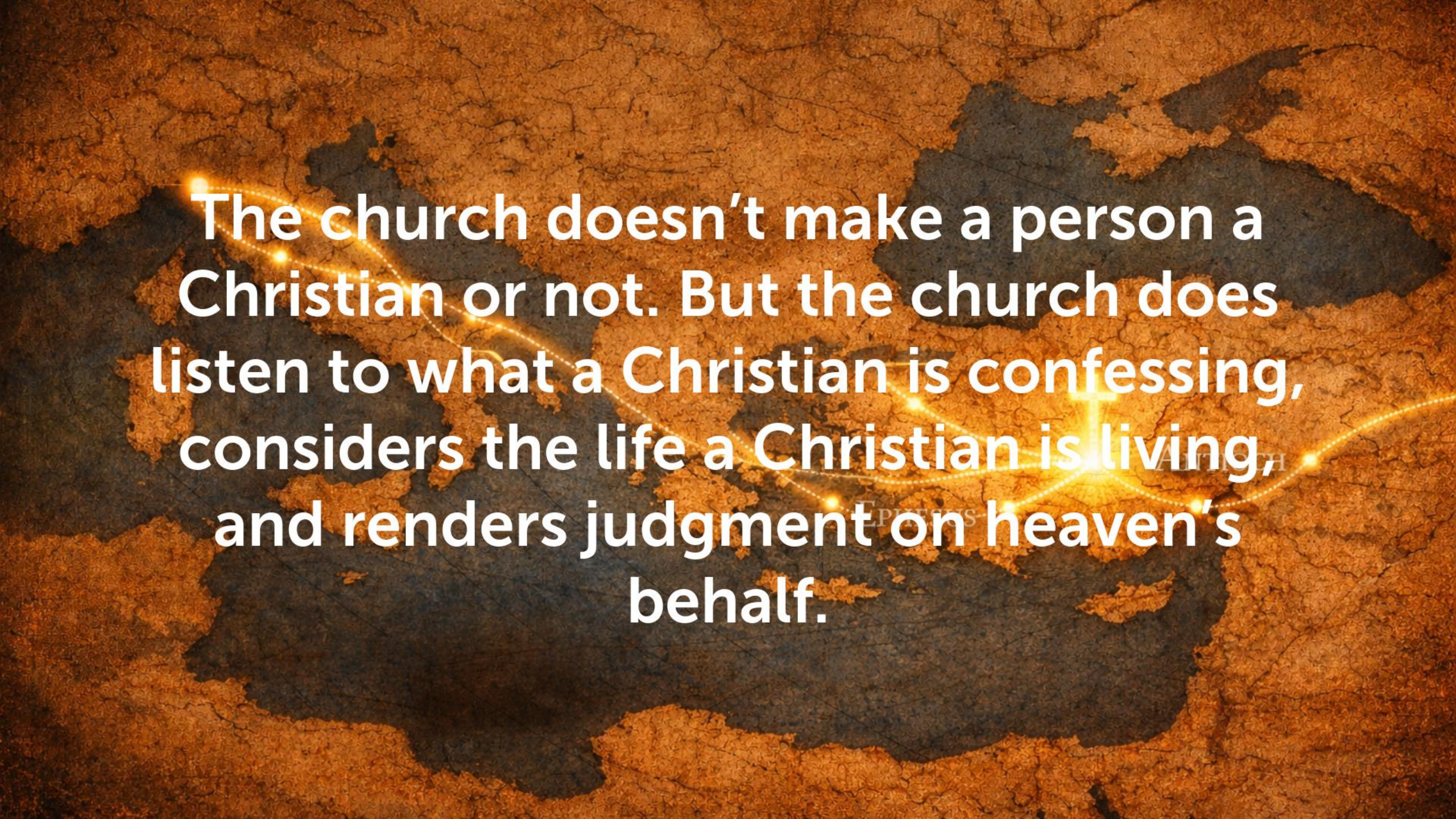
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Church.**

ANTIOCH

EPHESUS



The church is comprised of individuals who have placed their faith in Jesus for salvation and gathered together in a covenant relationship at a specific location for the purpose of proclaiming God's glory by carrying out His mission to make His glory known to the ends of the earth.



The church doesn't make a person a Christian or not. But the church does listen to what a Christian is confessing, considers the life a Christian is living, and renders judgment on heaven's behalf.