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The Three Legged Stool of Discipleship

- Fellowship
- Content
- Ministry

“Going” for “FAT” Disciples



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- Faithful
- Available
- Teachable

Baptizing our Disciples

- It's a part of a bigger pattern
- It's for our good
- It's for God's glory
- It's not an optional command

Teaching our Disciples

- God's Identity
- Man's Identity
- Our Hope
- Holy Living

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Spread of Christianity (300-600 AD)



Next Steps

- Study
- Volunteer
- Seek

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