

*Because Christ is Raised: How the Resurrection Changes Everything*

## **Because Christ is Raised, We Will Go And Tell**

Matthew 28:7

Acts 8:26–40

Pages 835 and 917 in Church Bible

The Lord's Day Morning

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### **How the Resurrection Changed “Come and Hear” to “Go and Tell”**

1. The first group commanded to go and tell were ordinary \_\_\_\_\_ (Mt. 28:10)
2. The second group commanded to go and tell were ordinary \_\_\_\_\_ (28:19).
3. The third group commanded to go and tell were ordinary \_\_\_\_\_ (28:20).

### **Three Kinds of Churches**

1. The \_\_\_\_\_ Church: Unbelievers are attracted to the church by music and basic sermons that often appeal to the emotions. Priority: Numerical growth. Upside: Unbelievers are more likely to attend this church and believers are more likely to invite them. Downside: Constant temptation to avoid controversial or difficult doctrines in Scripture in order to maintain broad appeal.
2. The \_\_\_\_\_ Church: Believers are attracted to the church by music and advanced sermons that often appeal to the intellect. Priority: Doctrinal purity. Upside: Believers are more likely to be Biblically literate. Downside: Unbelievers are less likely to attend this church and believers are less likely to invite them.
3. The \_\_\_\_\_ Church: Believers are equipped to go and tell the gospel by the church through music and sermons that appeal to both the head and heart. Priority: Church health. Upside: Believers are fed and unbelievers are informed. Downside: *This model depends on every member being actively engaged in making disciples and guiding them into the life of the church.*