06.08.25: All In!

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Scripture: Matthew 28:16-20 (The Great Commission)

Sermon Summary: This sermon focuses on the importance of being fully committed to Jesus Christ and His mission of making disciples. The pastor emphasizes that being "all in" for Jesus means being dedicated to His command to spread the Gospel and make disciples of all nations. He explores the concept of authority given to Jesus and how it empowers believers to fulfill this mission. The sermon challenges the congregation to move beyond excuses and fully embrace their role in disciple-making, regardless of their past failures or perceived inadequacies.

Key Points:

- The primary command in Matthew 28:19-20 is to make disciples
- All believers are called to participate in this mission
- Jesus has all authority in heaven and on earth
- The mission is for all nations and peoples
- Obedience to all of Jesus' commands is crucial
- Jesus promises His presence with believers always
- Disciple-making is challenging but essential work
- Being "all in" for Jesus means being committed to His mission

Takeaways:

- God's will for every believer is to make disciples. This is not optional but a clear command from Jesus.
- We have access to Christ's authority in fulfilling this mission. Despite our inadequacies, Jesus equips and empowers us.
- Discipleship involves teaching others to obey all of Christ's commands, not just imparting knowledge. Our love for Jesus is demonstrated through our obedience.

Practical Applications:

- Assess your current involvement in disciple-making. Are you actively engaged in this mission? If not, what steps can you take to start?
- Identify one area of Jesus' commands where you struggle with obedience. Commit to working on this area and ask the group for accountability.
- Consider someone in your life who needs discipleship. How can you intentionally invest in their spiritual growth this week?
- Reflect on how you can leverage your daily activities and interactions to fulfill the Great Commission in your immediate context.
- If your church has a new app, download it and explore how it can help you stay connected and grow as a disciple.