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COMMISSION**

**CHURCH 101 SERIES**

# **MATTHEW 28: 16-20**

**The eleven disciples traveled to Galilee, to the mountain where Jesus had directed them. When they saw him, they worshiped, but some doubted. Jesus came near and said to them, "All authority has been given to me in heaven and on earth. "Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, "teaching them to observe everything I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age. (CSB)**

# **"GO" OR THINK MISSIONALLY**

## **2 CORINTHIANS 5:20**

Therefore, we are ambassadors for Christ, since God is making his appeal through us. We plead on Christ's behalf: "Be reconciled to God." (CSB)

# **1 PETER 2:9**

**But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for his possession, so that you may proclaim the praises of the one who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light. (CSB)**

**"MAKE DISCIPLES"**

**BY SHARING INTENTIONALLY**

**"The apostles are called not to evoke decisions but to make disciples."**

**Michael P. Green in *The Message of Matthew: The Kingdom of Heaven***

**BY LIVING OBEDIENTLY**

**"Many congregations are focused on maintenance rather than mission."**

**Many have become little more than social clubs that have programs by no power!**

# **"BUT SOME DOUBTED"**

**CAN I DO THIS?**

**DID JESUS REALLY CALL ME?**

**"Then I heard the voice of the Lord asking: Who will I send? Who will go for us? I said: Here I am. Send me." (Isaiah 6:8, CSB)**

# **I'LL GO IN THE STRENGTH OF THE LORD**

**I'll go in the strength of the Lord,  
In paths he has marked for my feet;  
I'll follow the light of his word,  
Nor shrink from the dangers I meet.  
His presence my steps shall attend,  
His fulness my wants shall supply;  
On him, till my journey shall end,  
My unwavering faith shall rely.**

**(EDWARD TURNEY, SONG BOOK OF THE SALVATION ARMY)**

# **PENTECOSTAL PROMISE**

**"And look, I am sending you what my Father promised. As for you, stay in the city until you are empowered from on high." (Luke 24:49, CSB)**

**Jesus said to them again, "Peace to you. As the Father has sent me, I also send you." After saying this, he breathed on them and said, "Receive the Holy Spirit."  
(John 20:21-22, CSB)**

**"But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come on you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth."  
(Acts 1:8, CSB)**



# **PENTECOSTAL POWER**

**Suddenly a sound like that of a violent rushing wind came from heaven, and it filled the whole house where they were staying. They saw tongues like flames of fire that separated and rested on each one of them. Then they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in different tongues, as the Spirit enabled them.**

**(Acts 2:2-4, CSB)**

**As they were worshiping the Lord and fasting, the Holy Spirit said, "Set apart for me Barnabas and Saul for the work to which I have called them." Then after they had fasted, prayed, and laid hands on them, they sent them off. So being sent out by the Holy Spirit, they went down to Seleucia, and from there they sailed to Cyprus."**

**(Acts 13:2-4, CSB)**

**SO, WHAT NOW?**



**THINK MISSIONALLY**  
**SHARE INTENTIONALLY**  
**LIVE OBEDIENTLY**

**SO, WHAT NOW?**



**GET PLUGGED IN TO CHURCH**

**SHARE THE GOSPEL**

**GIVE GENEROUSLY**

**PRAY CONTINUALLY**

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