

**Message:** "Hope"

**Scripture:** Matthew 28:16-20

**1. SEEKING THOSE WHO DON'T KNOW JESUS.**

*"Then the eleven disciples went to Galilee to the mountain where Jesus had told them to go. And when they saw him, they worshipped him; but some doubted. Then Jesus came to them and said "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."* Matthew 28:16-20

**2. GROWING THOSE WHO DO.**

*"Go and make disciples.... teaching them to obey all I have commanded you."* Matthew 28:19-20

*"There is no problem in human life that apprenticeship to Jesus cannot solve." Dallas Willard*

**3. SENDING THOSE WHO WILL.**

*"Here am I send me".* Isaiah 6:8

**WHY SHOULD SUNNYBROOK CARE FOR THE POOR?**

**1. JESUS IDENTIFIED HIMSELF MOST CLOSELY WITH THE POOR.**

*"Whatever you did not do for one of the least of these brothers of mine, you did not do for me."* Matthew 25:40

**2. GOD BRINGS JUDGMENT TO HIS CHILDREN WHEN THEY IGNORE THE POOR.**

*"If a man shuts his ear to the cry of the poor, he too will cry out and not be answered"*  
Proverbs 21:13

**3. COMPASSION FOR THE NEEDY IS A PART OF CHRIST'S CHARACTER AND THEREFORE A QUALITY OF THE CHURCH.**

*"In the poor; we find Jesus in disguise."* Mother Teresa

**4. WHEN SUNNYBROOK CARES FOR THE POOR, IT GIVES US A PLATFORM TO SPEAK OF JESUS.**

**5. THE NEED IS AT OUR DOOR.**