Making Disciples Commissioned for the Mission

Commissioned for Love

30 And you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength.' 31 The second is this: 'You shall love your neighbour as yourself.' There is no other commandment greater than these." Mark 12:30-31

Worship: Love God

I appeal to you therefore, brothers by the mercies of God, to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your spiritual worship Romans 12:1

Ministry: Love Others

¹² For just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ ²⁷ Now you are the body of Christ and individually members of it. ²⁸ And God has appointed in the church first apostles, second prophets, third teachers, then miracles, then gifts of healing, helping, administrating, and various kinds of tongues 1Corinthians12:12, 27-28

Commissioned for Discipleship

¹⁹ Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptising them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, ²⁰ 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 28:19-20 NIV

Mission: go and make disciples

Therefore, go and make disciples of all nations, Matthew 28:19

¹³ For "everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved."

14 How then will they call on him in whom they have not believed? And how are they to believe in him of whom they have never heard? And how are they to hear without someone preaching? 15 And how are they to preach unless they are sent? As it is written, "How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the good news!"

Romans 10:13-15

⁴² And they devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers Acts 2:42

Fellowship: baptising them

baptising them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit,

Matthew 28:19

⁶ God sets the lonely in families,

Psalm 68:6

So then you are no longer strangers and aliens, but you are fellow citizens with the saints and members of the household of God,

Ephesians 2:12

Discipleship: teaching them

teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you.

Matthew 28:20

² and what you have heard from me in the presence of many witnesses entrust to faithful men who will be able to teach others also.

2 Timothy 2:2

LG questions

- 1) How would you define 'disciple'?
- 2) Who is purposely discipling you, and who are you discipling?
- 3) When we are discipling others here are 5 key areas to develop, which one stood out to you and why? Chat through each area.
- 4) From today, what has changed in your plan for making disciples?