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Developing a Sending Culture in Your Church

As churches and church leaders, we are strapped for resources: money, time, people.

The last thing we feel we can afford to do is to release those resources to help build the kingdom through sending out money, people, and ministers.

Yet, that is what we are called to do!



PART OF ME IS EXCITED.

HOW DO I DEAL WITH THIS?

BIBLICALLY

PHILOSOPHICALLY

PRACTICALLY



























Leave for Irvine 2015



Kenya 2017-2019



Leave for Alaska 2021

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"WHAT YOU DO TODAY DETERMINES WHO YOU WILL BE TOMORROW."

JOHN SPENCE

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"OUR GOD IS A SENDING GOD."

"TO FOLLOW JESUS IS TO BE SENT."

J.D. GREEAR - GAINING BY LOSING

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"CULTURE: THE ATMOSPHERE IN WHICH THE CHURCH FUNCTIONS."

SAMUEL CHAND

"CULTURE EATS STRATEGY FOR LUNCH"

PETER DRUCKER

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HOW DO WEACCOMPLISH THIS?

BIBLICALLY

THE MISSION IS THE MAIN THING!

MATTHEW 28:18-20

WE MUST <u>Stay</u> on Mission!

REVELATION 2:1-7

THE MISSION IS ABOUT HIS KINGDOM, NOT OURS!

ACTS 13

TO BE ON MISSION, LISTEN TO & OBEY GOD!

I THESSALONIANS 5:19-20

PHILOSOPHICALLY

WE ARE STEWARDS OF GOD'S RESOURCES - THEY AREN'T OURS TO KEEP.

EVERYONE CAN DO SOMETHING.

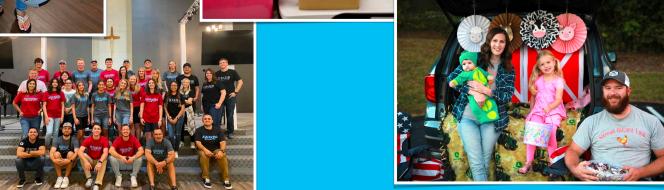
PRACTICALLY

MESSAGING: REPEAT, REPEAT, REPEAT, REPEAT

PROVIDE OPPORTUNITIES - BIG & SMALL







SUPPORT THOSE WHO GO

CELEBRATE THE WINS



Wednesday 9:04 PM

Jason Hewitt

December 1, 2021 Psalm 63

Highlight – 1.O God, you are my God, earnestly I seek you; my soul thirsts for you, my body longs for you, in a dry and weary land where there is no water. I have seen you in the sanctuary and beheld your power and your glory. Because your love is better than life, my lips will glorify you.

Explain - Ohhhh this verse is So powerful and really all of 1-8. Best explanation in my mind is verse 5 the why is He satisfies my soul.

Apply - One of the worst feelings is distance from God or worse - the unsatisfied soul before salvation. If you are feeling like you aren't close to The Lord spend a little bit of time reading this Psalm, and then pray, seek His face and lay the burdens of your heart at His feet. In the quietness of your mind at that moment you can look at the ground of the cross and feel him place a beautiful robe of comfort over you and in this moment be in His care. Rekindle the passion that you have for your savior and compassionate king. He is only as far away as the closing of your eyelids and utterance of your prayer.

Respond - Praise you Lord for satisfying my soul and providing me with love far better than life.







When I look back throughout my life and my career, I have had many moments I have been very proud of. God has always managed to help me be in the right place at the right time. When I found out I was leaving for a few months for military service, being away from my family, I was sad. I asked myself why? I knew God was working in the background and I would eventually figure it out.

We had a meeting with the Chaplain earlier this week here in Gulfport Mississippi, turns out the only services offered is Catholic and Prostestant. I was disappointed by this. When I was reading some versus I came across this posted at the bottom of this page. A light went off. I started asking around if anyone would have an interest in joining me during my Bible study time. At first I got a lot of crazy stares. Since I am a lot older than most, I have had the opportunity to speak one on one with many of them here about my experience. Some are having a rough time during this training. Not that it's easy for me, but when God helps me lift my spirits, people ask me questions has to how I do this and be in good spirit. So I take the opportunity to share with them how God has been working in my life. So some have been inspired to join me in my Bible study. The first day we started, I had one person interested. By day four, I have three. Not including myself. Keep in mind, these kids are 18,19 and 20 years old. The great part of this opportunity. Not one of them has ever attended church! Amazing how God works in our lives.

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