Making Impact Through Evangelism



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### Evangelism Defined

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the spreading of the

Christian gospel by

public preaching or

personal witness



#### **Proclaim the Message**

19 Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost:

20 Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, Io, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world. Amen.

Matthew 28:19-20

## Preserve the Message

<sup>4</sup> This matter arose because some false believers had infiltrated our ranks to spy on the freedom we have in Christ Jesus and to make us slaves. <sup>5</sup> We did not give in to them for a moment, so that the truth of the gospel might be preserved for you.

Galatians 2:4-5

# Prepare the Messengers

<sup>15</sup> But in your hearts revere Christ as Lord. Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have. But do this with gentleness and respect,

1 Peter 3:15

## Personify the Message

<sup>13</sup> "You are the salt of the earth. But if the salt loses its saltiness, how can it be made salty again? It is no longer good for anything, except to be thrown out and trampled underfoot. <sup>14</sup> "You are the light of the world. A town built on a hill cannot be hidden.

Matthew 5:13-14

# Prioritize Evangelism

<sup>1</sup>And so it was with me, brothers and sisters. When I came to you, I did not come with eloquence or human wisdom as I proclaimed to you the testimony about God.<sup>[a] 2</sup> For I resolved to know nothing while I was with you except Jesus Christ and him crucified.

1 Corinthians 2:1-2



- On a scale from 1 10, how passionate is your church concerning evangelism? Explain.
- 2. How does your church demonstrate concern for the souls in the immediate vicinity of your church?
- 3. How well do you know the demographics within a 2-3 miles radius of your church?
- 4. How is the congregation encouraged or equipped to do neighborhood evangelism?
- 5. What can the church do better?

### Taking it to the Streets Carri Gambil

- 1. Meet people where they are.
- 2. Become a third space.
- 3. Pray for your community.
- 4. Serve (Community Organizations) Schools, Nursing Homes, etc.
- 5. Invite.