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Humanly speaking, it is impossible. But with God everything is possible.

- Matthew 19:26

Which came first... Christian Church or Christ-Followers?

GATHER | GROW | GIVE | GO

The Church, individually and collectively, is called to embody these characteristics...

"I have been given all authority in heaven and on earth. Therefore, go and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Teach these new disciples to obey all the commands I have given you. And be sure of this: I am with you always, even to the end of the age."

- Matthew 28:18-20

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Bookended By Jesus' Declarative Statements

"I am with you always, even to the end of the age." "Therefore, go and..."

ACT | Colossians 1:18

Our GO is a call to walk in and with the authority of Jesus, but this "go" must have purpose.

"make disciples of all the nations..."

ASSEMBLE | Romans 1:16

Our <u>GO</u> should extend beyond our worldly boundaries because God is bigger than our discomfort.

"baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit..."

AFFIRM | 1 Peter 3:21

Our <u>GO</u> should publicly celebrate new believers as we hold tightly to a biblical theology of salvation.

"teach these new disciples to obey all the commands I have given you..."

ADVISE | Colossians 3:16-17

Our <u>GO</u> doesn't end at conversion, it continues through the offering of counsel and extending grace.

The Church is called to GO; to act as an ambassador of Jesus, to help assemble the nations, to affirm salvation in Christ alone, and to advise on how to develop a life of faith through Him.

And how can anyone go and tell them without being sent? That is why the Scriptures say, "How beautiful are the feet of messengers who bring good news!"

- Romans 10:15

When we **GO** in the power and love of Jesus, our lives, community, and world are transformed!

Your mission as the church, should you choose to accept it...

ACT | ASSEMBLE | AFFIRM | ADVISE

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