

Week 3: Living with a Missional Mindset at Work, School and Home

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Matt 5:14-16 NKJV "You are the light of the world. A city that is set on a hill cannot be hidden. Nor do they light a lamp and put it under a basket, but on a lampstand, and it gives light to all who are in the house. Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven."

I. Redefining the Mission Field

Acts 1:8 NKJV "But you shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be witnesses to Me in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth."

- The Holy Ghost gives you power to be, not just to feel.
- God never intended for your faith to stay at your church. It must invade your daily world.
- Each of us have our own mission fields that we are called to.

II. God-Given Purpose in Daily Life

Colossians 3:23-24 NKJV "Whatever you do, do it heartily, as to the Lord and not to men, knowing that from the Lord you will receive the reward of the inheritance; for you serve the Lord Christ."

- Your work is worship when done with the right mindset.
- Students can be missionaries in the classroom. Workers can reflect Christ in boardrooms and breakrooms. Parents and children can disciple at home.
- Your assignment is not limited by a pulpit. Your pulpit is wherever your feet are planted.

III. Activating Spiritual Gifts Outside the Church

Romans 12:6-8 NKJV "Having then gifts differing according to the grace that is given to us, let us use them: if prophecy, let us prophesy in proportion to our faith; or ministry, let us use it in our ministering; he who teaches, in teaching; he who exhorts, in exhortation; he who gives, with liberality; he who leads, with diligence; he who shows mercy, with cheerfulness."

1 Peter 4:10 NKJV "As each one has received a gift, minister it to one another, as good stewards of the manifold grace of God."

- Whether the gift of prophecy, serving, teaching, encouragement, giving, leading, or mercy, we must learn how to activate these gifts in every part of our lives.
- Spiritual gifts are not limited within the four walls of our church. A teacher can prophesy hope in a classroom. A manager can lead with godly wisdom. A nurse can show mercy that softens hearts toward God.

IV. Living Missionally Means Living Intentionally

Ephesians 5:15-16 NKJV "See then that you walk circumspectly, not as fools but as wise, redeeming the time, because the days are evil."

- Living missionally is living on purpose for a purpose.
- The way you treat people, how you respond to difficulty, how you speak – these are all part of your witness.
- "You may be the only Bible some people will ever read."

V. Confidence to Share Your Faith

II Timothy 1:7-8 NKJV "For God has not given us a spirit of fear, but of power and of love and of a sound mind. Therefore, do not be ashamed of the testimony of our Lord,"

- Sharing your faith isn't always preaching. It's often planting seeds through testimony, kindness, consistency, and courage.
- Share your story. Tell people how Jesus changed you or is changing you now.
- Be available. Sometimes, all a person needs is someone who will listen.
- Be excited and encouraging when talking about Jesus.

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Things to Think About

- What environment are you in most throughout the week and how can you intentionally represent Jesus in that space?
- In what ways have you unintentionally hidden your light or held back from sharing your faith? What's one step you can take to overcome that?
- Which spiritual gift or gifts do you believe God is stirring in you to activate?
- Think of one person you interact with weekly who does not know Jesus. How can you be more intentional in that relationship this week?

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