

SAVED TO BE SENT

**Equipping a Gospel-Centered Community in the Word of God,
to Live Out a Gospel-Centered Life Mission to the Glory of God.**

WHAT WAS JESUS' LIFE MISSION?

Jesus was sent to the earth to bring ultimate glory to His Father, and His life mission was to glorify Him by revealing this Good News to a lost and dying world...

Jesus Was Sent to Save.

John 3.16-18, 6.29, 7.16, 28, 33, 8.42, 12.44, 17.3

SO WHAT IS YOUR LIFE MISSION?

Though we all have unique giftings, talents, and backgrounds, there is one thing that remains true, and that is that each one of us has the same life mission: to glorify God and worship Him forever, starting now. God has made you for that purpose, and He will equip you to bring even more glory to Him.

You Were Saved to be Sent.

John 14.26, 15.26, 16.7, 20.21,22 // Luke 11.13 // Acts 15.8 // 1 Peter 1.12

WHAT'S STOPPING YOU?

There are countless things that stop us from fulfilling God's design for us:

- We don't know where to start.
- Running on empty.
- Sin holding us back.
- No motivation
- Past hurts and pain
- Don't know how to be equipped.

We are a Sent Church, and We are a Sending Church.

John 17.18 // Matthew 28.19, 20 // 2 Timothy 2.2 // Romans 10.13-17



NOTES:

WANT TO GET CONNECTED?

- **SIGN UP FOR A COMMUNITY GROUP!**
Our **Community Groups** will be starting in **mid-January**. If you want to get connected to a group of people near your neighborhood, let us know by filling out the **Connection Card!**
- **JOIN THE TEAM!**
We would love to have you come serve our community with us. Let us know on our **Connection Card** that you want to help!

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ANNOUNCEMENTS:

COMMUNITY GROUP SIGN-UPS

We would love for you to be able to get connected with our church family. Our **Community Groups** will launch at the end of the month, but fill out a **Connection Card** today to get the ball rolling!

CONNECT ONLINE

If you would like to keep up with what's going on, make sure to visit us online in these various ways:

- **Our Blog:**
Go to www.lifemissionchurch.com to keep up with articles, events, photos, and other fun updates.
- **Facebook:**
"Like" us at our page by going to [Facebook.com/LifeMissionChurch](https://www.facebook.com/LifeMissionChurch) for daily updates and fun.
- **Twitter:**
You can also follow us on Twitter for daily tweets. Find [@YourLifeMission](https://twitter.com/YourLifeMission).

KIDS ON MISSION

We are SO super excited about our **Kids on Mission** ministry. To read about our vision and our plan on how we aim to shepherd and disciple our kids, visit www.lifemissionchurch.com click on "Students/Kids" at the top.



SAVE.

Jesus was sent to save. We have been saved to send. We are sent into our community to share the Good News that Christ came to save us, and we hope to see many who find new life.

EQUIP.

We want to equip those very people in the Word so that they can continue to grow as disciples of Christ. From our preschool to our adults, our passion is to see everyone equipped in the Gospel to live a life of freedom and joy.

SEND.

Lastly, we then want to see those equipped people sent into their community and world. From school and playgrounds, to families and work places, we want to see people who are spiritual leaders in their life, showing people the truth of Christ's Good News.

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COMMUNITY GROUP HOMEWORK

In your own words, how would you describe Jesus' mission? _____

Most people would answer along the lines of "to save sinners" as His primary goal. Though that is one of His main objectives, there is a specific motivation behind that objective. Read **John 17.1-5**. What is His main motivation?

Consider this quote by John Piper: "Missions is not the ultimate goal of the church. Worship is. Missions exists because worship doesn't. Worship is ultimate, not missions, because God is ultimate, not man. When this age is over, and the countless millions of the redeemed fall on their faces before the throne of God, missions will be no more. It is a temporary necessity. But worship abides forever."

Why is it important that we keep the glorification and worship of God as our main goal? How then, does evangelism fit in with that? _____

When it comes to defining my life mission, I have a "first things first" outlook. I first ask "what," and then I ask "how." For all of us believers, we all have the same "what," and that is "to glorify and worship Jesus with all we are and in all we do." But "how" each of us do that is different. Write down all the ways that God has given you that are "hows" when it comes to ways you can bring Him glory and worship. It could be your roles (mom, dad, employee), talents, gifts, etc.

Read **John 20.19-22**. The disciples were cowering and afraid when Jesus found them. He didn't judge them, but gave them peace. Of the list that you wrote down, which of those are more or less "locked away" like the disciples, not being used for God's glory or as a means to worship Him? _____

Just as the disciples with Jesus, don't feel judged or condemned if many were not being used for Him; but the question is, do you want them to be? Are you willing to learn and grow and be equipped in them so that you can't be sent into your world to bring glory and worship to Jesus? What is stopping you, and what can be your action plan to pursue Him in this? _____

Tell someone what your action plan is, and ask them to ask you about it from time to time. Whatever is holding you back from experiencing a life filled with God's glory, get rid of it. It's time for more. It's time for better. It's time for worship.

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