

We're called to _____! We can have a base of operations, but we're to go out to share _____ with people in the world.

John 17:11-23 - **11** I will remain in the world no longer, but they are still in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, protect them by the power of your name — the name you gave me — so that they may be one as we are one. **12** While I was with them, I protected them and kept them safe by that name you gave me. None has been lost except the one doomed to destruction so that Scripture would be fulfilled. **13** "I am coming to you now, but I say these things while I am still in the world, so that they may have the full measure of my joy within them. **14** I have given them your word and the world has hated them, for they are not of the world any more than I am of the world. **15** My prayer is not that you take them out of the world but that you protect them from the evil one. **16** They are not of the world, even as I am not of it. **17** Sanctify them by the truth; your word is truth. **18** As you sent me into the world, I have sent them into the world. **19** For them I sanctify myself, that they too may be truly sanctified. **20** "My prayer is not for them alone. I pray also for those who will believe in me through their message, **21** that all of them may be one, Father, just as you are in me and I am in you. May they also be in us so that the world may believe that you have sent me. **22** I have given them the glory that you gave me, that they may be one as we are one: **23** I in them and you in me. May they be brought to complete unity to let the world know that you sent me and have loved them even as you have loved me.

1 Peter 1:17-19 - **17** Since you call on a Father who judges each man's work impartially, live your lives as strangers here in reverent fear. **18** For you know that it was not with perishable things such as silver or gold that you were redeemed from the empty way of life handed down to you from your forefathers, **19** but with the precious blood of Christ, a lamb without blemish or defect.

1 Peter 2:11-12 - **11** Dear friends, I urge you, as aliens and strangers in the world, to abstain from sinful desires, which war against your soul. **12** Live such good lives among the pagans that, though they accuse you

of doing wrong, they may see your good deeds and glorify God on the day he visits us.

As strangers and aliens in this world, we are to move through this _____ and share the Good News of Jesus Christ.

Matt 28:18-20 - **18** Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. **19** Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, **20** and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."

We're called to go _____ the wall of this church and minister in the world in which we live.

1 Peter 3:15-16 - **15** But in your hearts set apart 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, **16** keeping a clear conscience, so that those who speak maliciously against your good behavior in Christ may be ashamed of their slander.

You are on the _____ lines of sharing the Gospel.

When you talk about people – is it _____ or bad?

Are you a positive _____ for your Lord and Savior, and for His Church?

Answers: Go. Christ. World. Outside. Front. Good. Influence.

Mon – First read John 17:15-18. Why do you think Jesus wanted us to stay in the world, but protected from the evil one? Are you engaging the world (or the people in it) on a daily basis? In those dealings are you being the ambassador for Christ that God would have you to be? Ask God to help you be His ambassador to a lost soul.

Tue. – Read Matthew 5:13-16. Are you being the salt of the earth? Are you being a preservative for the things of God, adding His flavor to the bland things of life? Are you letting your light shine in dark places as a testimony to Him? Read vs. 16 again. Who are you hoping is glorified and praised as a result of your actions – your or God? Thank God that He has gifted you to do works worthy of praise, and ask Him to allow you to cause others to praise Him, and give Him glory, because of the things that He allows you to do.

Wed. – Read John 17:20-23. Are you working for unity in Christ, or working to unify people to your position? What are some ways that you can help seek unity in your family, in your Sunday School class, in our Church, in our communities? Ask God to help you be a unifier of people.

Thu – Read 1 Peter 1:17-19. Are you living your life “as strangers here in reverent fear?” Two of the great gifts God gives us are the gifts of self-confidence and self-reliance. They are good gifts when they are lived out in the fact that the confidence is in who we are in Him, and that we can do everything through Him who gives us strength. Thank God for the abilities and confidence that He’s blessed you with, and ask Him to help you center all of that in Him.

Fri – Read 1 Peter 2:12. Ask God to help you to live a life that allows others to see your good deeds and glorify Him.

Sat – Read 1 Peter 3:15-16. Have you ever thought about the reason you’d give for the hope you have? Think about it, and thank God that He has given us all hope, in Christ Jesus!

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