

CP - 1/21/24

Luke 24:44–49 – We Commit Ourselves to God's Mission

CORE VALUE #3 - GOD'S MISSION

missio: Latin for “sending”

mission: God's work - what God has been doing across human history

missions: the church's work to participate in God's work

1. The entire Bible is about God's Messiah, Jesus Christ. (Luke 24:44)

*The Bible is the story of God. History is His story. Jesus is the central character.

The OT is about the One to come. The NT is about the One who came.

*Gen. 3:15; 49:10; Deut. 18:15–18; Isa. 9:6; 11:1; 61:1; Micah 5:2; 2 Sam. 7:12–13

2. The entire Bible is about God's mission to pursue and save fallen and sinful people for His own glory. (Luke 24:45–47)

*Gen 3:8; 12:3; Exod. 3:7–8; 19:4–5; 1 Kings 8:57–60; Isa. 43:10–12; 49:6

*God reveals Himself.

*God redeems sinners.

3. The mission of the church is joining God in His mission. (Luke 24:48–49)

***We are Christ's witnesses.**

***The Holy Spirit enables and helps us to be Christ's witnesses.**

How do we commit to God's mission as CrossPointe Church?

1. We are a people in place on mission. (Corporately)

- We pray weekly for unreached people groups, countries, and missionaries.
- We give financially to local and international ministries a
- We go by sending short-term missions teams around the world.
- Acts 1:8 - We live on mission in our city, state, country, and world.

2. We are a people in places on mission. (Small Groups and Individually)

- We see God at work and join God at work.
 - See needs and meet needs
 - Sharing the Gospel personally with others
- We live with a missional mindset.