

We are commanded to love others. We are commanded to make disciples. We are to share the good news of God's rescue plan for sinners. We are to build relationships that lead to salvation.

"The local church that stands on the Word of God but isn't evangelizing is neglecting the primary call from the Word of God." – Aaron Summers

"God changes lives through the gospel, those accepting it and those sharing it." – Monty Mullenix

"Pre-evangelism is important. But the church must not confuse pre-evangelism with evangelism. Unless the good news of Jesus is declared verbally (1 Cor. 15:3-4), evangelism has not occurred. If Jesus is in our heart, His gospel should proceed out of our mouth." – Daniel Dickard

**One Gospel**... For I am not ashamed of the gospel, because <u>it is God's power for salvation to everyone who believes</u>, first to the Jew, and also to the Greek. – Rom. 1:16

**One Grace**... For by <u>grace</u>, you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; <u>it is the gift of God</u>, not a result of works, so that no one may boast. For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which <u>God prepared</u> beforehand, that we should walk in them. – Eph. 2:8-10

**One Church**... Hoffmantown Church is located in a specific zip code and has a unique address. This is no accident. God has placed us here to share His rescue plan. But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come on you, and you will be My witnesses in Jerusalem [Albuquerque], in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth. – Acts 1:8

**One City**... Our local mission field is the City of Albuquerque and its surrounding communities. This is where we live. This is our responsibility.

**One Name**... There is salvation in no one else [Jesus], for there is <u>no other name</u> under heaven given to people, and we must be <u>saved by it</u>. – Acts 4:12

For everyone who calls on the <u>name</u> of the Lord will be <u>saved</u>. – Rom. 10:13

For everything was <u>created by Him</u>, in heaven and on earth, the visible and the invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities—all things have been created <u>through Him</u> and <u>for Him</u>. – Col. 1:16

**One Unity**... I have given them the glory You have given Me. May they be <u>one</u> as We are <u>one</u>. I am in them, and You are in Me. May they be made <u>completely one</u>, so the world may know You have sent Me and have loved them as You have loved Me. – John 17:22-23 (Jesus' prayer for believers)

Your kingdom come; Your Will be done... This is our prayer from Matt. 6. This is what drives us into gospel action. This is what fuels our evangelistic enthusiasm. Prayer must saturate and accompany evangelism.

**The Lost**? Reached with Your <u>message</u>, Your <u>love</u>, Your <u>redemption</u>... And [Jesus] said to them, "<u>Follow me</u>, and I will make you fishers of men." Immediately they left their nets and followed him. – Matt. 4:19-20

Jesus told him, "I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through Me." – John 14:6

For the Son of Man has come to <u>seek</u> and to <u>save</u> that which was <u>lost</u>. – Luke 19:10 For God so <u>loved</u> the world, that <u>He gave</u> His only Son, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life. – John 3:16

We embrace the lost and the broken... To the weak I became weak, in order to win the weak. I have become all things to all people, so that <u>I may by every possible means save some</u>. – 1 Cor. 9:22

We serve them, side by side... Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but <u>in humility</u> <u>count others more significant than yourselves.</u> Let each of you look not only to his own interests, but <u>also to the interests of others</u>. Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus, who, though He was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, but emptied Himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men. And being found in human form, He <u>humbled</u> Himself by becoming <u>obedient</u> to the point of death, even death on a cross. – Phil. 2:3-8

**We will not be silent! We will tell the world!** Then He said to His disciples, "The harvest is abundant, but the <u>workers are few</u>. Therefore, <u>pray</u> to the Lord of the harvest to <u>send out</u> <u>workers</u> into His harvest." – Matt. 9:37-38

**Lord, make us one!** By this all people will know that you are My disciples, if you have love <u>for</u> one another." – John 13:35

Again, I assure you: If two of you on earth <u>agree</u> about any matter that you pray for, it will be done for you by My Father in heaven. For where two or three <u>are gathered together</u> in My name, I am there among them." – Matt. 18:19-20

Accepting one another and forgiving one another if anyone has a complaint against another. Just as the Lord has forgiven you, so you must also forgive. Above all, put on love—the <u>perfect bond of unity</u>. – Col. 3:13-14

Behold, how good and pleasant it is when brothers dwell in <u>unity</u>! – Ps. 133:1

## The Two Pillars of Evangelism:

- The Great Commandment (Mark 12:28-34)
- The Great Commission (Matt. 28:18-20)



1/29 – Two Parables of Lostness (Luke 15:1-10)

2/5 – The Parable of the Two Sons (Luke 15:11-32)

2/12 – Successful Shepherd Evangelism (Jn. 10:7-16)

2/19 – Hearing the Gospel (Rom. 10:1-17)

2/26 – Why Have the Holy Spirit? (Acts 1:8)

3/19 – We Can Do This! (1 Cor. 2:1-5)

3/26 – Attributes of Evangelism (2 Tim. 2:14ff)