

LET'S GO! May 18, 2025 Jon Field, Lead Pastor

MESSAGE NOTES

Pray. Send. Go.

- PRAY Prayer is the power that prepares the way
- "... therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into His harvest." — Matthew 9:38 (ESV)

"But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be My witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth." — Acts 1:8 (ESV)

"Unreached People Group is an identifiable group of people distinguished by a distinct culture, language, or social class who lack a community of Christians able to evangelize the rest of the people group without outside help." — Global Frontiers Missions

• SEND - Sending is the support that sustains the mission

For "everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved." How then will they call on Him in whom they have not believed? And how are they to believe in Him of whom they have never heard? And how are they to hear without someone preaching? And how are they to preach unless they are sent? As it is written, "How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the good news!" – Romans 10:13 - 15 (ESV)

You will be enriched in every way to be generous in every way, which through us will produce thanksgiving to God. For the ministry of this service is not only supplying the needs of the saints but is also overflowing in many thanksgivings to God. -2 Corinthians 9:11 -12 (ESV)

"You are the unseen part of the mission, but no less vital than the hands and feet on the ground." — Amy Carmichael

• GO - Going is the call that transforms lives

And He said to them, "Go into all the world and proclaim the gospel to the whole creation. – Mark 16:15 (ESV)

After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages ... – Revelation 7:9 (ESV)

... "How beautiful are the feet of those who preach the good news!" – Romans 10:15 (ESV)



DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- Discussion Starter: There are over 7,000 unreached people groups in the world today, representing about 3.49 billion people who need Christ. Global Frontiers Missions defines an unreached people group as "an identifiable group of people distinguished by a distinct culture, language, or social class who lack a community of Christians able to evangelize the rest of the people group without outside help." As you reflect on these statistics, how does it impact you to know about the need for so many to hear about Christ in some of the least reached areas of the world?
- We talked about three vital actions: pray, send, and go. Which of these actions most touched your life, and how?
- Read Matthew 9:38 and Acts 1:8. Why is prayer such a vital part of Global Outreach? What are some key things we can be praying for in relation to the unreached people of the world?
- Read 2 Corinthians 9:11–12. Amy Carmichael, a missionary to India, once wrote to her supporters saying, *"You are the unseen part of the mission, but no less vital than the hands and feet on the ground."* What does it mean to be a *"sender"* as individuals and as a church when it comes to making an impact on unreached people groups?
- *Read Mark 16:15. "Going"* is the call that transforms lives. How are we all called to *"go"* when it comes to sharing Christ? What does that look like in your life?
- Read Revelation 7:9. This verse describes Heaven as having *"a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages..."* Why is that description of Heaven so significant in light of the need to reach the unreached people groups of the world?
- Using one of our Global Partner handouts or looking online (encounterlife.org/global-outreach), take some time to discuss how you might encourage and pray for one or more of our Global Partners.



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