

The church has left the building'.



Greetings FCN Family,

I am so thankful for each one of you. I want to echo the words of the Apostle Paul to all you all: "I thank my God at every remembrance of you."

The following italicized section of this article is pulled from a Christian Leaders article:

WHAT THE BIBLE SAYS ABOUT EVANGELISM

***Poreuomai** (por YOU oh my): "Go"*
In the Great Commission (Matt. 28:18-20), God gave the Church its marching orders: Go—to the whole world, to the end of the age. While in the original Greek, poreuomai is a participle, it shares the force of the imperative command to "make disciples." We can't make disciples of all nations without actually going. Fortunately, all major Bible translations correctly catch this idea, saying, "Go and make disciples." The heart of outreach is reaching out—by going to the people who are lost.

*The second half of the familiar verse includes **matheteuo** (mah thay TYOO oh), meaning to "make disciples." After Christ's disciples go, they are to "make disciples" of others. Essentially, a disciple is a learner. Our task is to enroll people into the Kingdom.*

To sum up the Great Commission, "going" comprises the necessary prerequisite action, while "make disciples" is the main command.

Well, not only do you have brief lesson from the original Greek, but yet another confirmation from the Lord that FCN is fulfilling God's Will by "going" and "making" disciples by **Loving God, Loving People and Serving the World**. Our calling is clear as is our mission: we will serve the Lord together as we build His kingdom. I am thankful that you are willing to "GO" and "Make Disciples"

I am looking forward to all of us serving Abilene together on Sunday, September 16, for Sunday Service. Please follow your insert and don't forget to sign up to serve.

Loving you & Lifting you, —PD