

as you go

Part 3 – Your Faith Will Grow

MAIN POINT:

As You Go: Your Faith Will Grow

EXPLORATION:

1. Read Matthew 28:19-20. What were the disciples like before that command? What were they like after that command? How does the change emphasize the main point: As You Go Your Faith Will Grow!!

(Context Clues- Before: Thomas doubted, Peter denied, Judas betrayed, none truly understood, they were all self seeking. After: Peter delivered the message at Pentecost, they all were self sacrificing, all but John were martyred, they spread the gospel around the known world, God turned the world upside down through these men. They went from extreme cowardice to extreme courage!!)

2. Read Proverbs 11:30. What do you think this verse means? What is meant by a person's fruit bringing life? What does it indicate that when you win souls you will become wiser?? How will you grow wise for sharing your faith with others?
3. Read James 5:19-20. What is the promise in this verse for the person who rescues a person from sin? What is the added blessing of bringing forgiveness to many?
4. Read I John 5:16. Why is it so important to rescue people from sin? What do you think "a sin that leads to death" is?

(Context Clues- Most biblical scholars believe that the sin unto death is any continual, habitual sin that leads the person to be completely unrepentant, unreceiving and unbelieving in Christ.)

APPLICATION:

1. In light of the chalk board wall project, who will you invite to church? Who will you share your faith with? And who will you try to disciple or teach things that you have learned from the Lord?

Chalk Board Project List:

1. Invite to church
 2. Share their faith and the story of Christ with.
 3. Disciple or teach on a somewhat regular basis things they have learned about Christ, God, faith and the Christian walk.
2. Read I Thessalonians 2:18-20. How do your feelings for those you are trying to reach with the gospel compare to the feelings that Paul expressed about the Thessalonian believers? Have you ever had a real soul connection with someone that you influenced for the Lord or that influenced you for the Lord? Tell about that relationship.
 3. Pray for members of the group and River Point Community Church and the names, hearts, and souls of people that will be reached during the series "As You Go".