# Disciples of Jesus Christ



#### **Follow**

Strive for what is good and fight against what is bad. (Mark 1:17; 8:34-35)



#### Believe

Jesus is who he says he is, the Son of the Living God. (Mark 8:29)



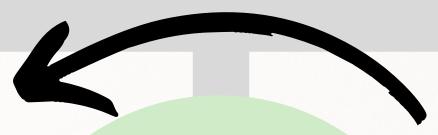
#### Share

Tell the people around you what God has done for you. (Mark 5:19-20)



#### Love

Participate in community with other believers in Jesus. (Mark 6:30-31)



### **BECOME MORE AND MORE LIKE JESUS**

(Matthew 28:19-20)



#### Read

Study the Bible every day. (Mark 13:31)



#### Pray

Pray with God every day. (Mark 1:35)



### Fellowship

Go to church and join a group. (Acts 2:46)



#### Give

Give your time, money, and talent. (Mark 8:34)



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- LEFT SIDE: These are key discipleship qualities (or outcomes).
  - o Disciples of Jesus strive to become more and more like Jesus by **following** him in every area of life, **believing** He is who he says He is, **sharing** what God has done for them, and **loving** within a community.
- **RIGHT SIDE**: These are key discipleship <u>quantities</u> (or actions).
  - Disciples of Jesus live this out by **reading** the Bible and **praying** with God every day, having **fellowship** in church and in groups, and **giving** their time, money, and talent back to God.
- **CENTER**: "more and more" signifies an ongoing journey, illustrated by arrows moving in a circular direction and presenting a continuous process of self-reflection, prayer, and pursuit of Christ-likeness with the help of the Holy Spirit. This is true for each element of the model.
- Scale: (in the background) represents balance between the LEFT and the RIGHT sides. For example, Love without Reading (Bible, Truth) can create deception and false teaching within a disciple. Truth without Love can create legalism and hard heartedness within a disciple towards God or others.