Equip

Evangelist

Team Engagement

Introduction

Complete this short topical study in preparation for discussion with the elders. Note in the passages below that the root word for "evangelist" is "evangel," and it also comes in the verb form "to evangelize." "Evangel" is often translated as "gospel" as well. These various passages include occurrences of all these different forms of the word "evangelist."

Biblical Passages

- Acts 5:42
- Acts 8:26-40
- Acts 17:18
- Acts 20:24
- Acts 21:8
- Romans 10:15-16
- Romans 15:16
- Romans 16:25
- 1 Corinthians 15:1-4
- 2 Corinthians 4:4
- 2 Corinthians 10:14-16
- Galatians 1:6-16
- Ephesians 1:13
- Ephesians 3:6
- 2 Timothy 4:5

Questions

- What do these verses teach you about the thinking of an evangelist?
- What do these verses teach you about the function of an evangelist?

Comparison

- In relationship to the Great Commission, outline the particular role/function of the evangelist.
- Differentiate between the *thinking* of an evangelist and what you know of the other speaking gifts.
- Differentiate between the *functions/actions* of an evangelist to what you know about the other speaking gifts.

Consider

- Could/should an MC be "evangelistic"?
- In what ways could/should an MC be "evangelistic"?
- How might you as an MC Leader better function in the way of an evangelist within your MC?
- What are practical ways that you could begin to model and declare (form a culture of) evangelistic living within your MC?