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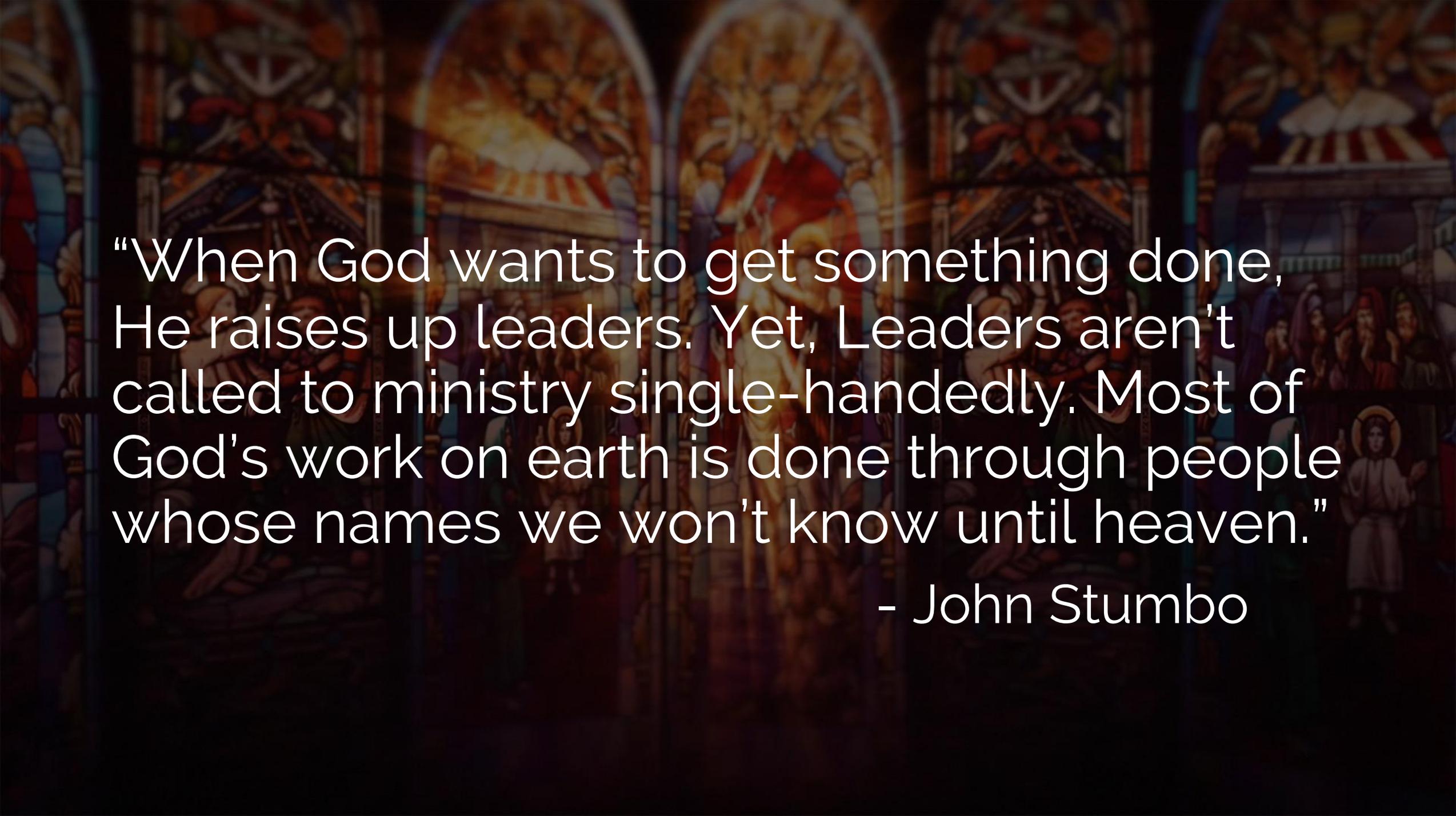
Characteristics of a Church That Lives on Mission

For I am not ashamed of the gospel, because it is the power of God that brings salvation to everyone who believes: first to the Jew, then to the Gentile. For in the gospel the righteousness of God is revealed- a righteousness that is by faith from first to last, just as it is written: "The righteous will live by faith."

Romans 1: 16-17

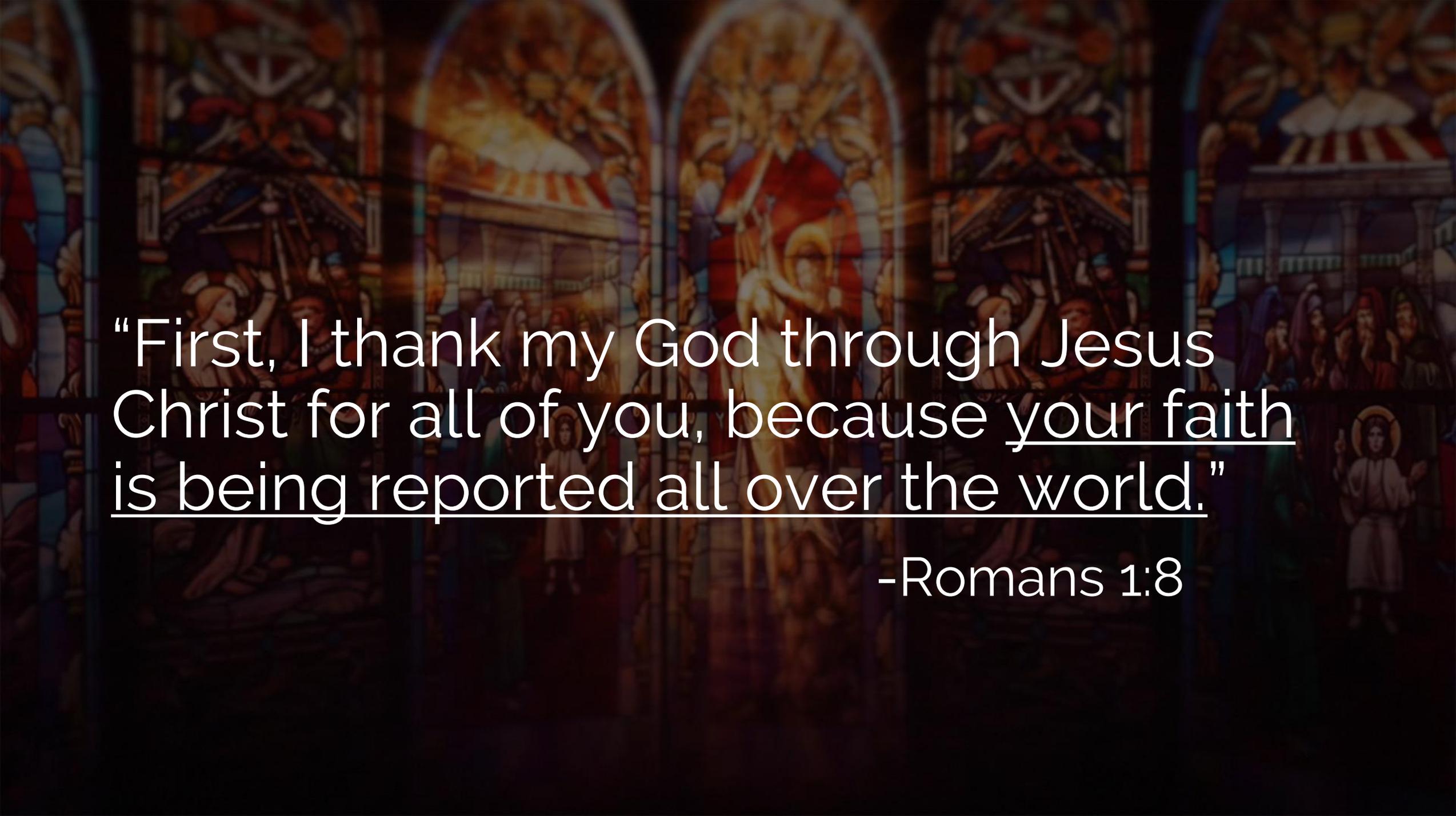




The background of the image is a dark, semi-transparent overlay on a vibrant stained glass window. The window features several arched panels with intricate designs, including what appears to be a central figure in a red and gold robe, possibly a saint or a religious figure, surrounded by other smaller figures and decorative elements. The colors are rich and varied, including reds, yellows, blues, and greens.

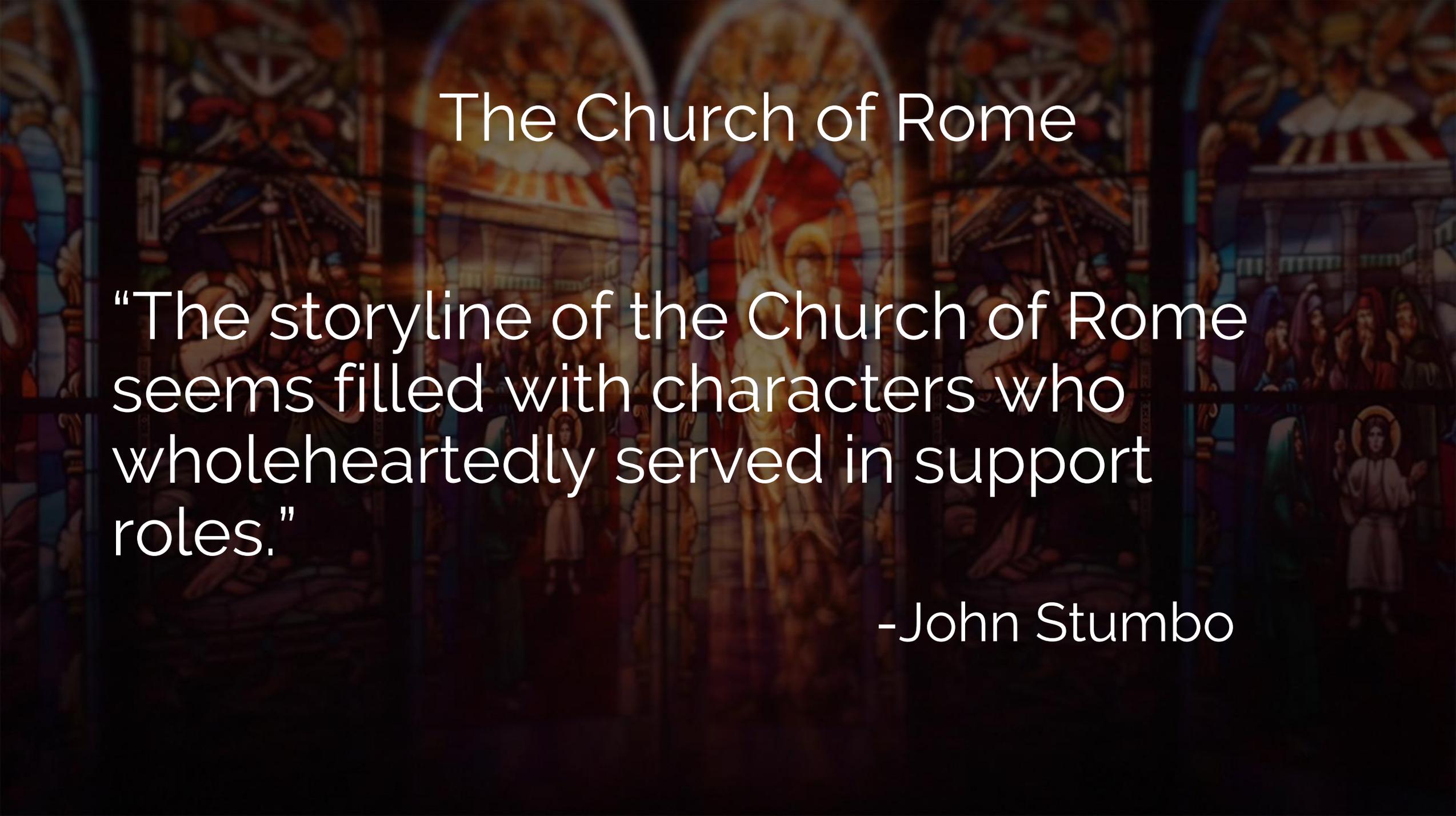
“When God wants to get something done,
He raises up leaders. Yet, Leaders aren’t
called to ministry single-handedly. Most of
God’s work on earth is done through people
whose names we won’t know until heaven.”

- John Stumbo

The background is a dark, semi-transparent overlay of a stained glass window. The window features several arched panels. The central panel depicts a figure, likely Jesus, with a halo, surrounded by a crowd. Other panels show various religious scenes, including figures in prayerful or dramatic poses. The colors are muted due to the overlay, but the intricate patterns and figures are visible.

“First, I thank my God through Jesus Christ for all of you, because your faith is being reported all over the world.”

-Romans 1:8

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The Church of Rome

“The storyline of the Church of Rome seems filled with characters who wholeheartedly served in support roles.”

-John Stumbo

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They Only Bring The Gospel

- What is The Gospel?

It's the Good News that God has offered salvation for anyone who will accept His free gift.

- Jesus offers forgiveness for our sin...

If we confess.

- Jesus offers salvation from God's judgment!

He took our punishment.

- Jesus offers a better way!

He becomes Lord.

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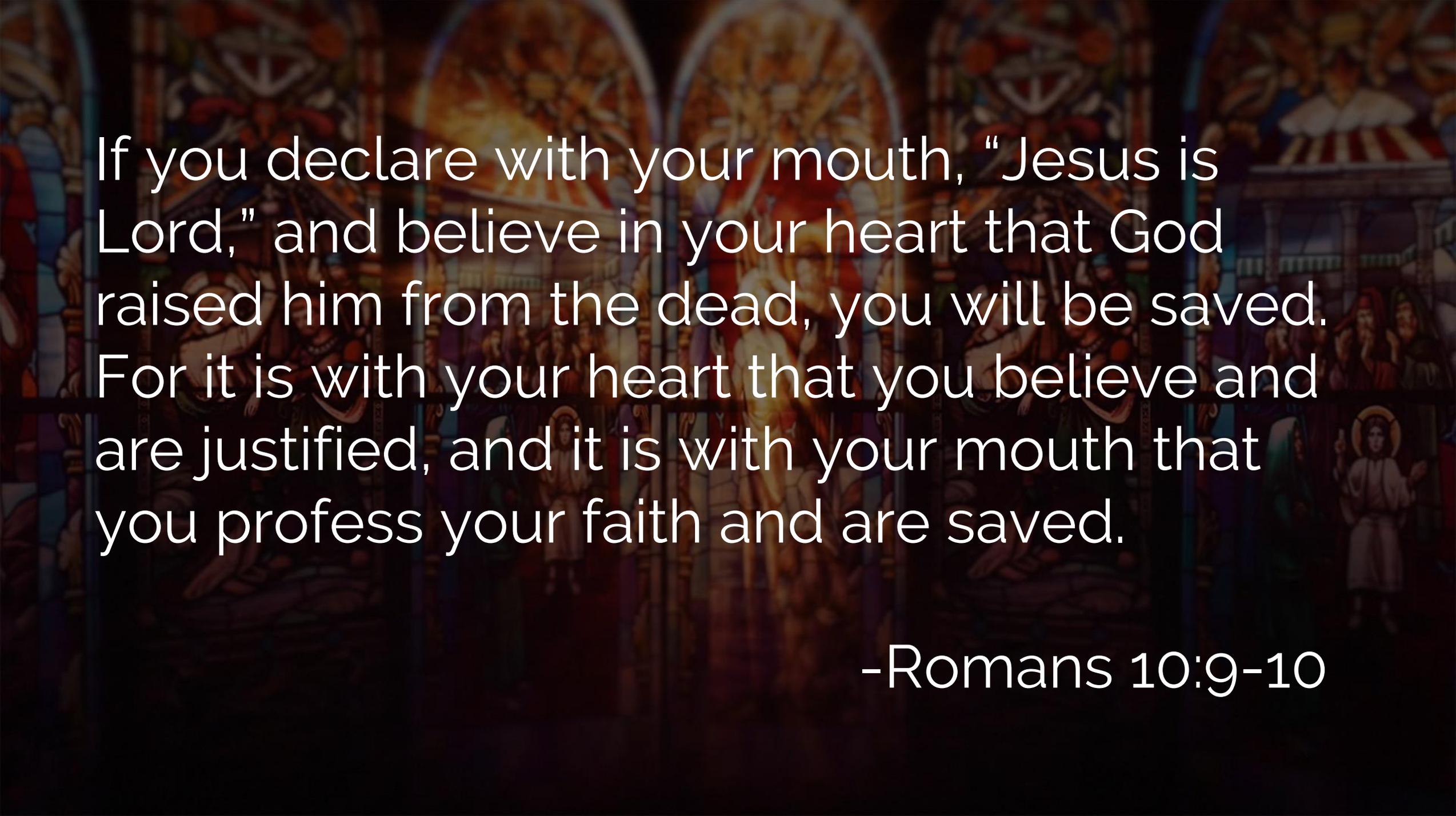
- It's important that we only bring the Gospel of Jesus and nothing else.
- I have seen way too many leaders fall trying to preach the gospel AND....

They Know Why it's Only The Gospel

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For in the gospel the righteousness of God is revealed---a righteousness that is by faith from first to last, just as it is written: "The righteous will live by faith."

Romans 1:16 - 17

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If you declare with your mouth, “Jesus is Lord,” and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For it is with your heart that you believe and are justified, and it is with your mouth that you profess your faith and are saved.

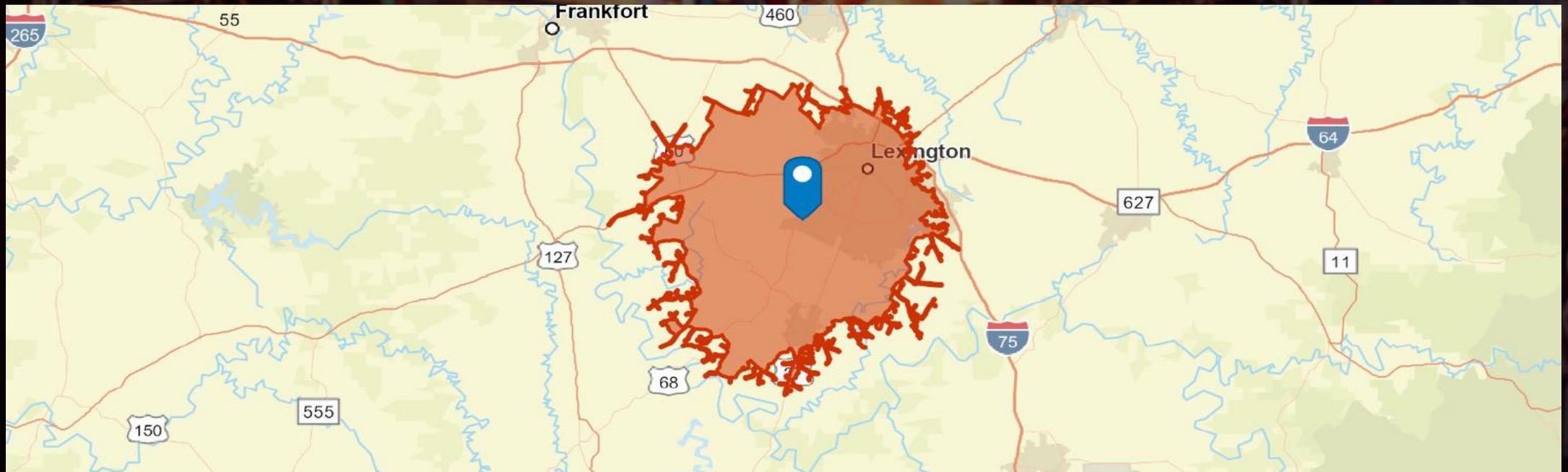
-Romans 10:9-10

They Know How to Bring The Gospel

- They know the Parable of the Good Samaritan!
- They trust the Holy Spirit to help them love their neighbor.
- They know Ephesians 6:12:

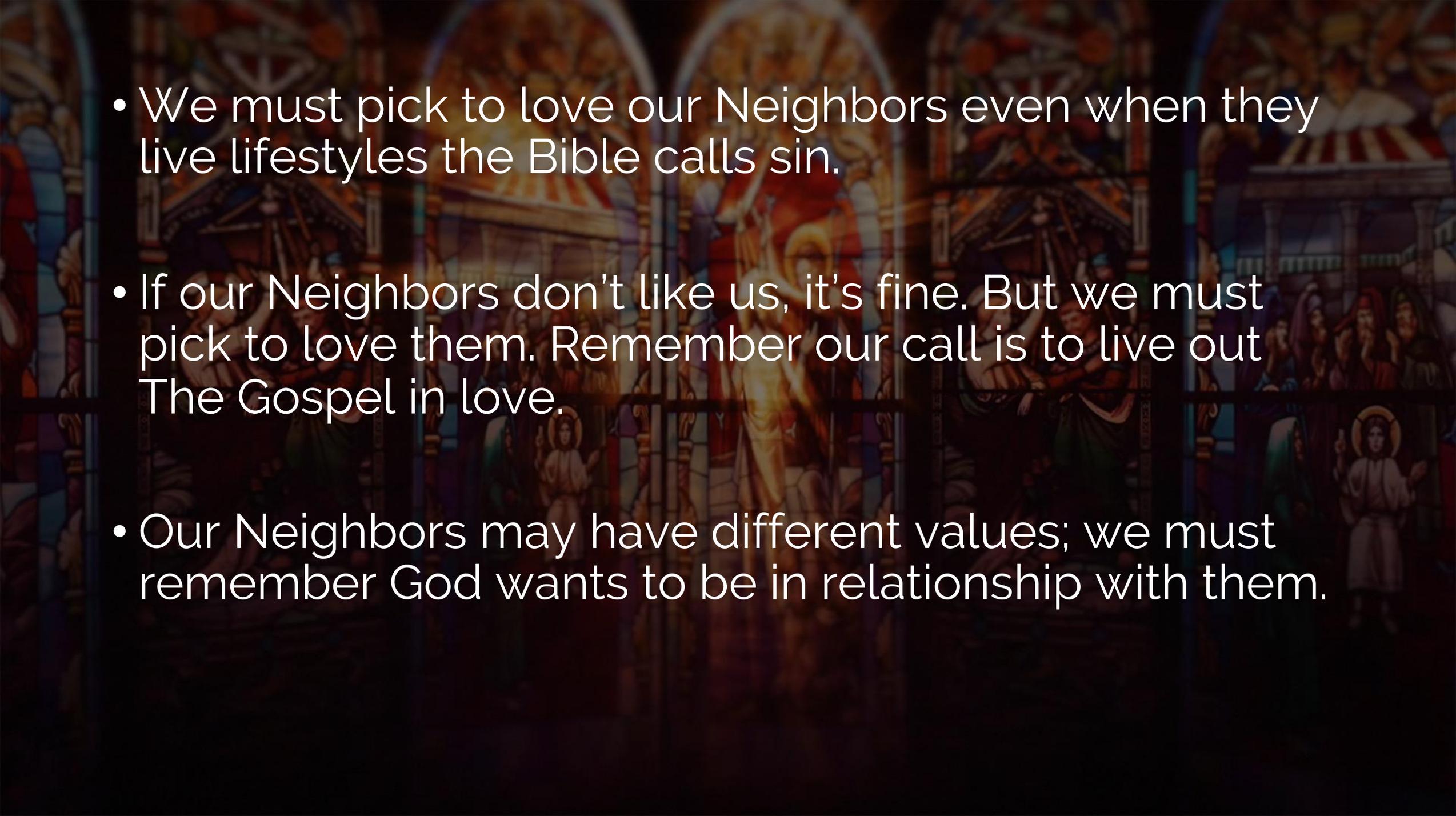
For our struggle is not against flesh and blood...

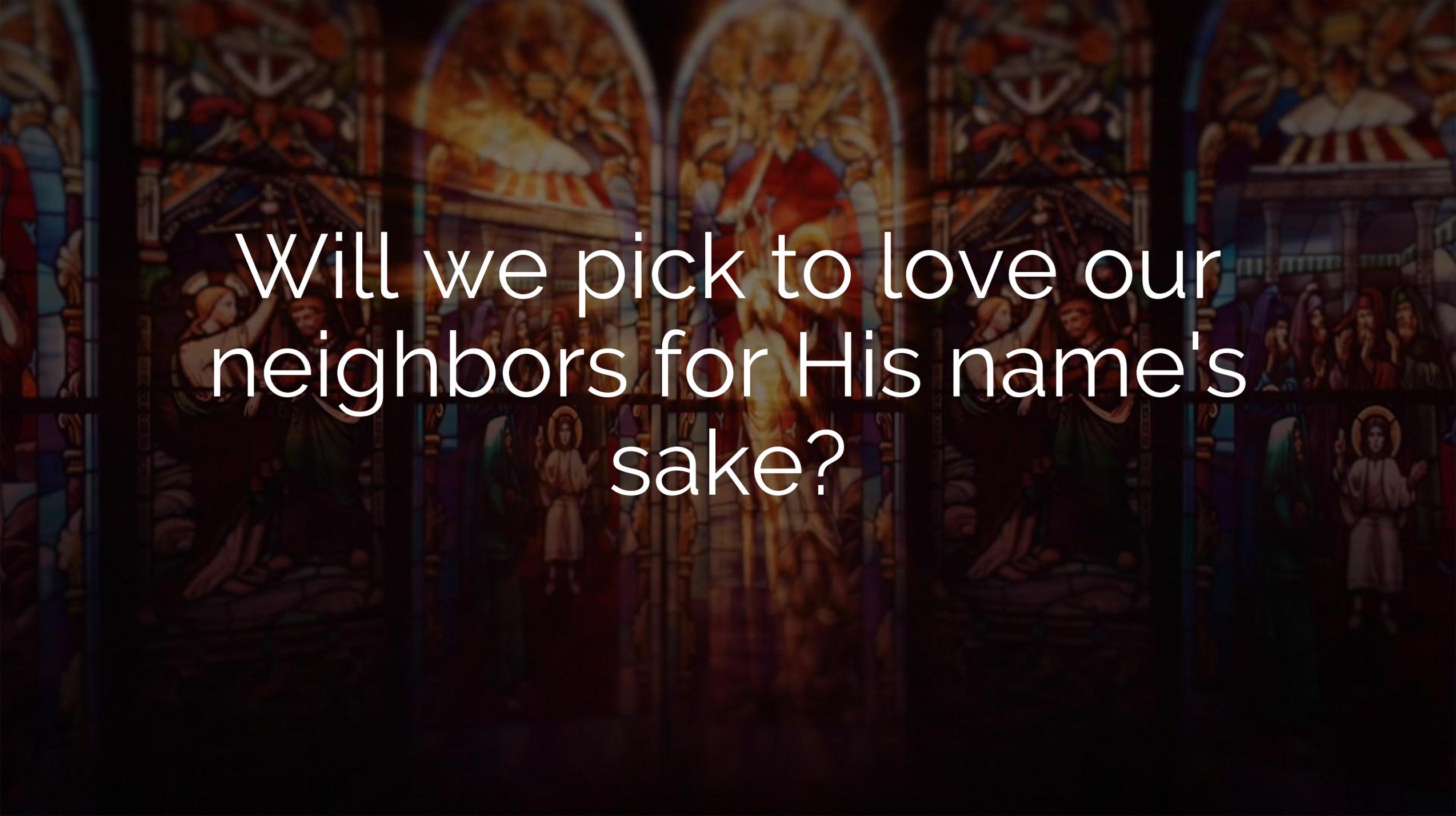
FAC's Local Mission Field



Congregational Survey Results

- 63% of FAC invited someone to church.
- 57% Feel equipped to share our faith.
- 41% Have intentionally shared their faith in the past year.
- 29% have intentional social interaction with people who don't follow Jesus.
- FAC God is honored with what we have done; but I believe He has more for us to do.

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- The background of the slide is a dark, semi-transparent image of a stained glass window. The window features several panels with religious scenes. In the center, there is a prominent panel depicting the Resurrection, with an angel in white robes rolling away the stone from the tomb. To the left and right, other panels show various figures, possibly saints or biblical characters, in traditional attire. The overall color palette is rich with reds, blues, and golds, typical of stained glass art.
- We must pick to love our Neighbors even when they live lifestyles the Bible calls sin.
 - If our Neighbors don't like us, it's fine. But we must pick to love them. Remember our call is to live out The Gospel in love.
 - Our Neighbors may have different values; we must remember God wants to be in relationship with them.

A large, multi-paned stained glass window with intricate designs and figures, serving as a background for the text. The window features various scenes, including a central figure in a white robe, possibly Jesus, and other figures in various poses and settings.

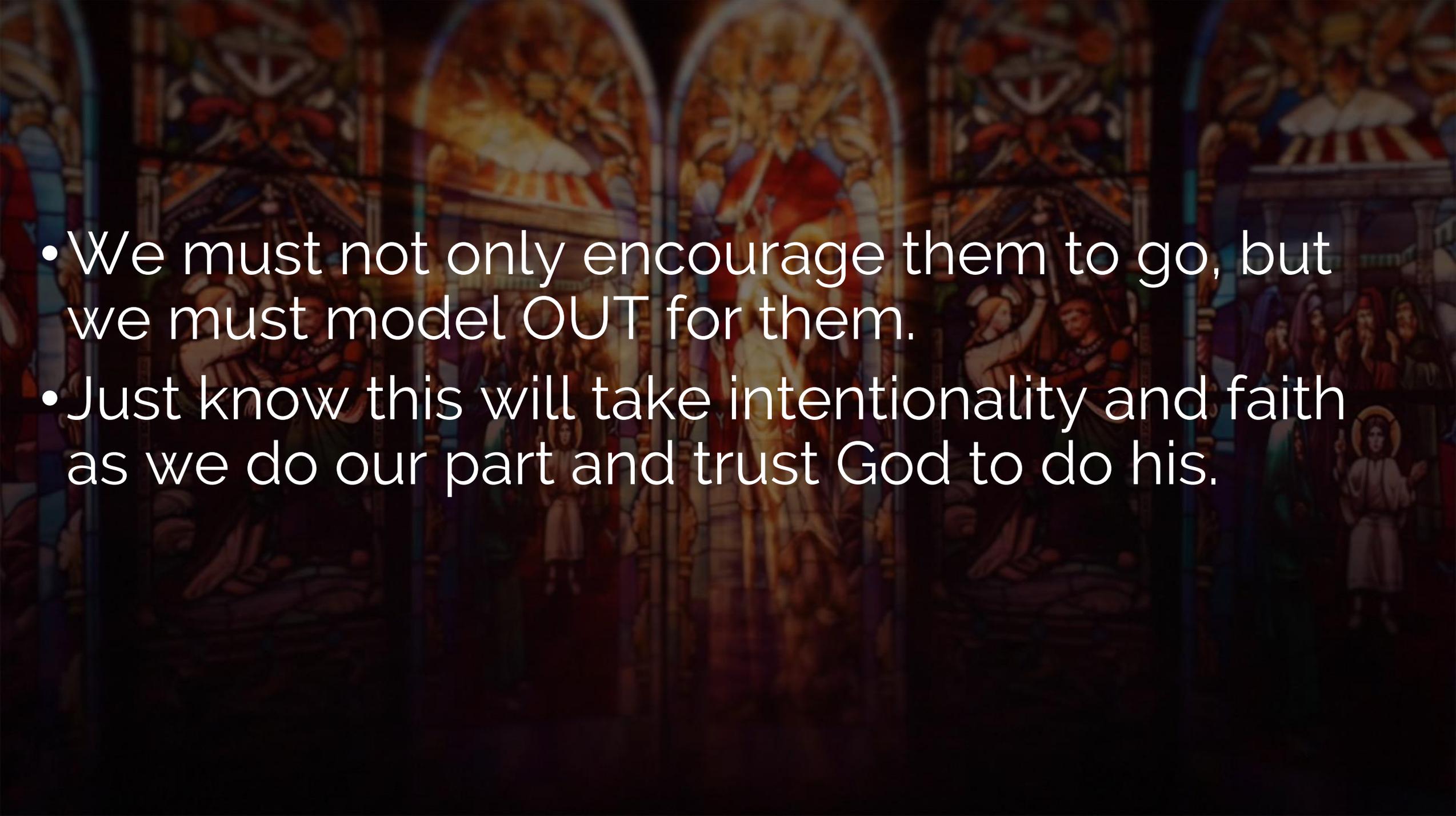
Will we pick to love our
neighbors for His name's
sake?

The Nations

- I have been blown away by how we support IW's & the Great Commission Fund (GCF).
- Please keep up the great work.
- This is proof that God can do great things with our yes.

Next Generation

- Remember 51% of our Mission Field in are 15-49.
- They are watching us and trying to determine if they want this Jesus we keep telling them about.
- They are looking to see if we are walking out what we say we believe.

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- We must not only encourage them to go, but we must model OUT for them.
 - Just know this will take intentionality and faith as we do our part and trust God to do his.