



**What does understanding a sense of MISSION do for you?**

The MISSION of this church is to \_\_\_\_\_  
you to \_\_\_\_\_ your mission.

**What did Jesus say about MISSION?**

[Matthew 28:16-20]

\_\_\_\_\_ are not God's primary tool for  
accomplishing this MISSION ... \_\_\_\_\_ are!

**With this in mind, we need to consider ... \_\_\_\_\_ is  
our MISSION? \_\_\_\_\_**

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## Encounter these verses today:

*circle words that you identify with, underline phrases or sentences you'd like to remember, write questions about the passage out to the side*

### Matthew 28:16-19 NIV [Great Commission]

<sup>16</sup>Then the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain where Jesus had told them to go. <sup>17</sup>When they saw him, they worshiped him; but some doubted. <sup>18</sup>Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me.

<sup>19</sup>Therefore **go and make disciples** of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, <sup>20</sup>and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."

### [The Message Paraphrase]

"God authorized and commanded me to commission you: **Go out and train everyone you meet**, far and near, in this way of life, marking them by baptism in the threefold name: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Then instruct them in the practice of all I have commanded you. I'll be with you as you do this, day after day after day, right up to the end of the age."

### 1 Corinthians 9:19-23 NIV

<sup>19</sup>Though I am free and belong to no man, I make myself a slave to everyone, to win as many as possible. <sup>20</sup>To the Jews I became like a Jew, to win the Jews. To those under the law I became like one under the law (though I myself am not under the law), so as to win those under the law. <sup>21</sup>To those not having the law I became like one not having the law (though I am not free from God's law but am under Christ's law), so as to win those not having the law. <sup>22</sup>To the weak I became weak, to win the weak. **I have become all things to all men so that by all possible means I might save some.** <sup>23</sup>I do all this for the sake of the gospel, that I may share in its blessings.

### Digging Deeper this week ...

*If you would like to take today's teaching to the next level, then start digging!  
Take the following steps ...*

- 1) Have you considered WHO your MISSION is? Who has God laid on your heart as someone you can impact for eternity?
- 2) Make a list of those you feel need to know the Lord. Next to each name, consider ways you can "bring up" faith, eternal things, or even our church.
- 3) Put this list in a place that will remind you to pray for them regularly.

*Read John 6:35-40 in your personal time.*

- 4) Believing that Jesus is the bread of life, how can we deliver that "Bread" to our friends, neighbors, and family? Allow God to direct your next steps.
- 5) How can you partner with Flushing Community Church to assist in our desire to go and share God's love and training all in the ways of Christ?  
*Share your thoughts and ideas with Pastor Terry this week!*