



SERMON OUTLINE

300 SOULS 2012 THEME: Fulfilling Our Purpose

Where We Are Going...

January 29, 2012

I. Introduction to Our Next Five Years

A. Three Hundred Souls Saved:

1. God desires all saved: **1 Tim 2:3-4** that includes Salem, OR
2. He calls the least to do His great work: **Matthew 5:13-16** YOU
3. God gives all needed **Phil 4:19** - "But my God..."

B. What We Need:

1. Purity: **Matthew 5:13-16** - Salt, Light
2. Unity: **John 13:35** - By this all men will know..."
3. Commitment: **Galatians 6:9** - do not grow weary in doing good
4. A Love for Souls: **John 15:13** Greater love has no man...
5. Focus: **Mark 8:32** - what does it profit if gain whole world...?
6. Wisdom: **James 1:5** If any of you lack wisdom...
7. Faith: **Matthew 17:20** - If you had faith as a mustard seed...
8. Leadership...

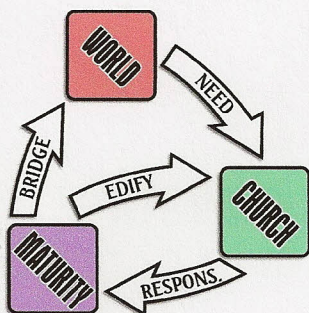
II. Our Goals - Big Picture (see chart)

A. Helping the World See Their Need for God

1. Missions: **1 Timothy 2:3-4; 2 Corinth 9:8-14**
2. Our Community: **Col 4:5-6**
3. Our Worship of God: **1 Cor 14:23-25** Worship has impact!
4. Commitment to Each Other: **John 13:35** "By this all men..."

B. Helping the Church Grow in Responsibility (**Eph 4:1-16**)

1. Helping New Christians
2. A Focus on Growth and Personal Responsibility
3. Keeping the Cycle Going - We Have a Job to Do



III. Conclusion

- A. A Prayer for God's Strength and Guidance
- B. Let's seek to bring others closer to God... exciting and rewarding.
- C. Shake off the dust!!!

