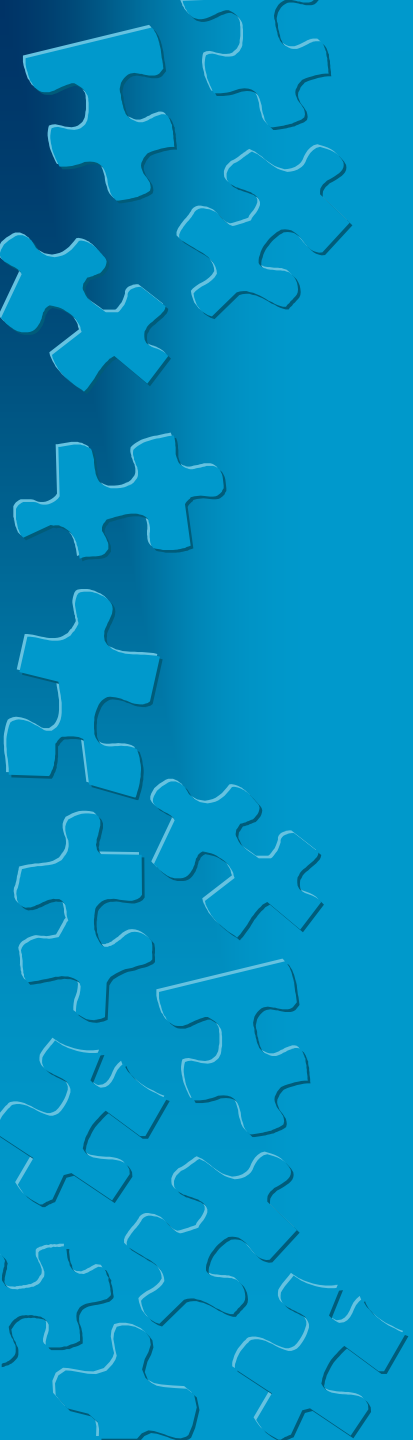




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# INTRO: GEN 1



God made these







And this tree





**And This!**





The Do Not Touch Fish



And These Guys...







Quetzal





# Intro: Gen 1

God's Will and Plan

My Will and Plan



# Intro: Gen 1

God's Will and Plan



My Will and Plan



# Intro: Gen 1


God's Mission



MBT's Mission





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Most Christians try to fit God into their will and plans, as if He is one of many pieces in their puzzle of their life. Instead, we need to put our lives within God's will and plan like a piece added to His puzzle.

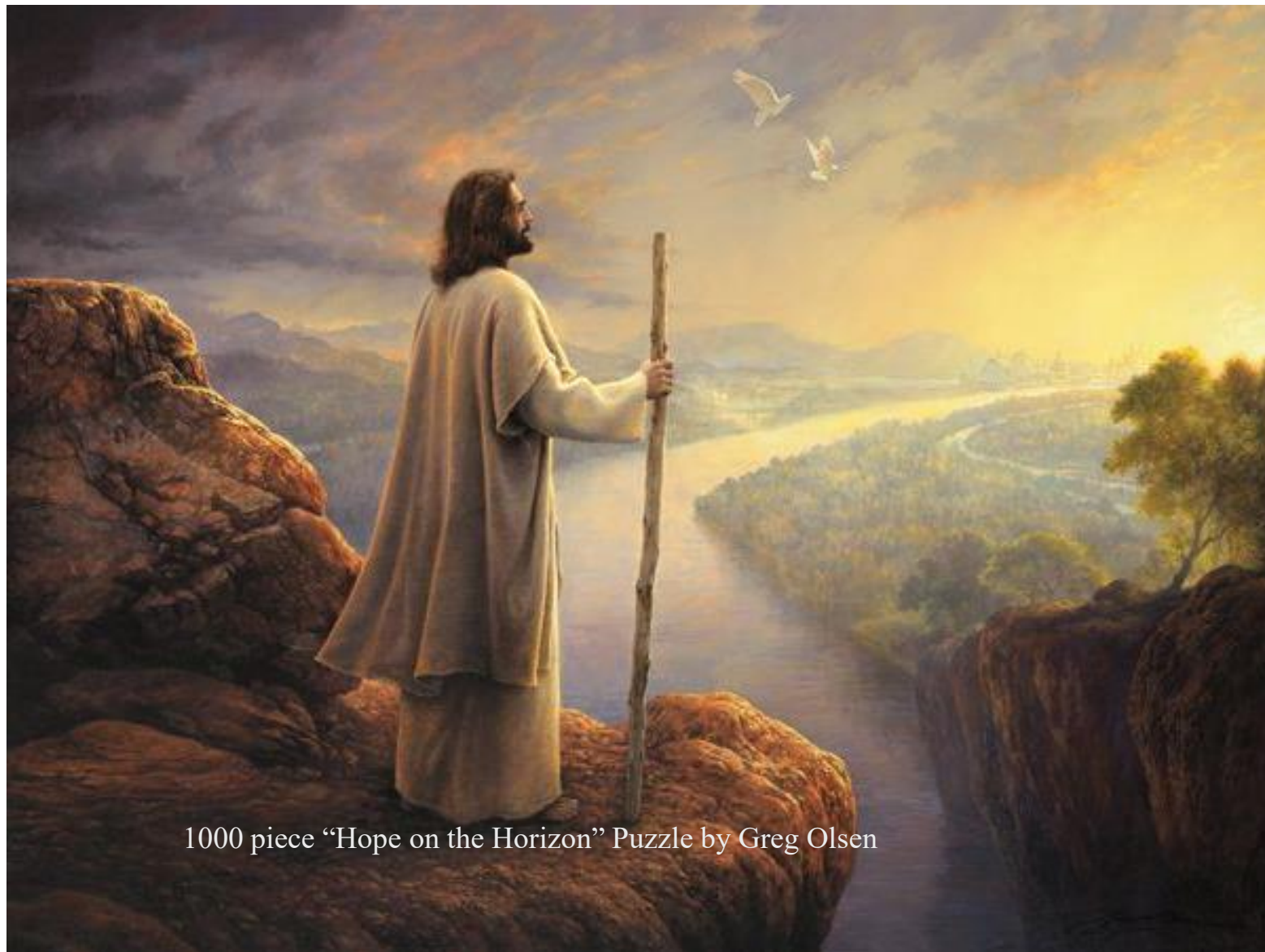
**Poor unfulfilled puzzle piece...**






Poor unfulfilled puzzle piece...





1000 piece “Hope on the Horizon” Puzzle by Greg Olsen





MBT is a church that exists to fulfill the mission of God. We are not a church that has added the mission of God to what we do (we were doing the mission before we became a church). God has blessed this!



Teaching Session #1: Who We Are at MBT


**WE ARE SAVED BIBLE-BELIEVERS  
ON A MISSION.**




# Saved:

1. Global Church: All those who are Saved Acts 2:47, Eph 5:30, Matt 16:18.  
What does it mean to be saved?

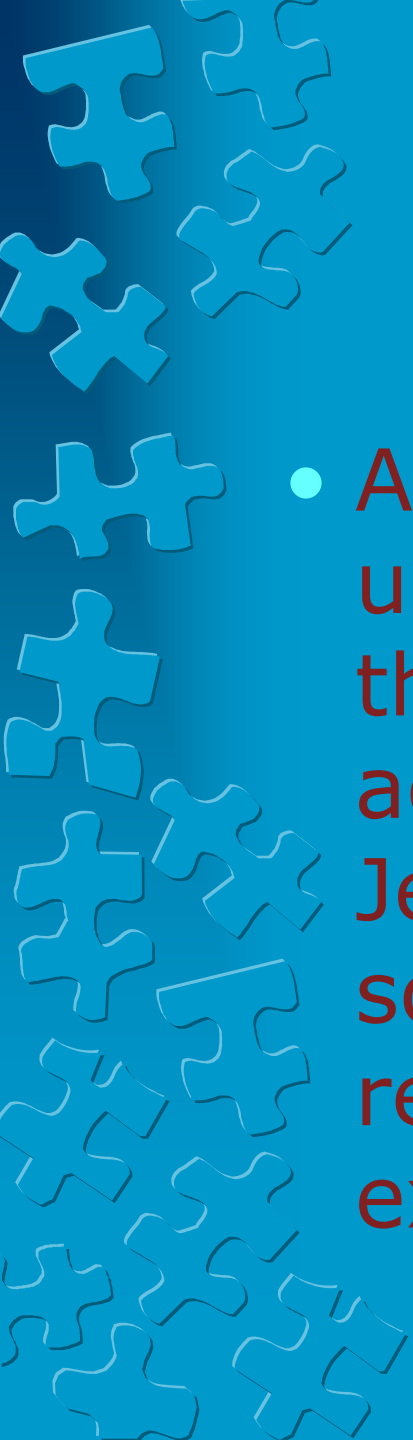


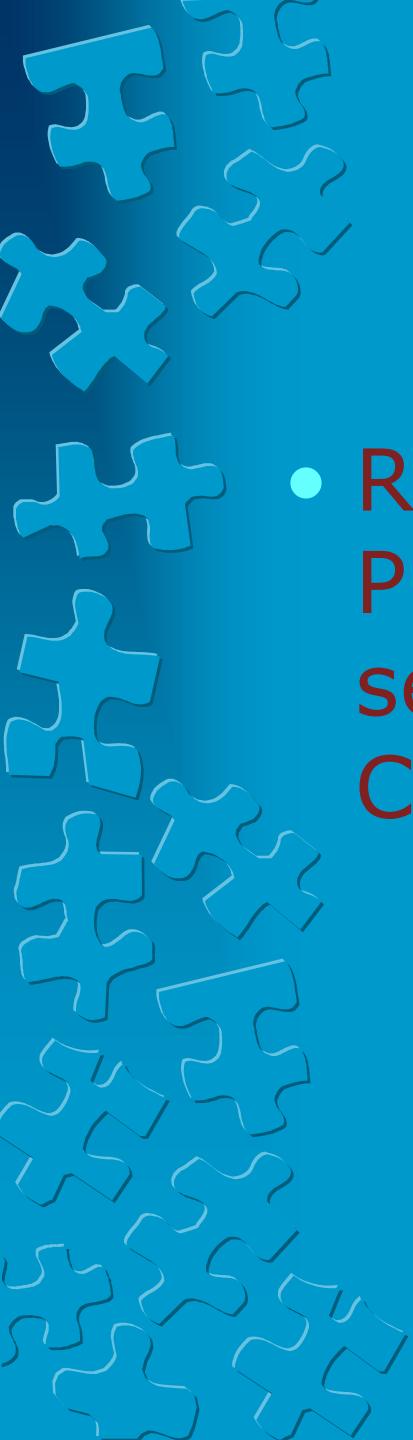
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- Act 2:47 Praising God, and having favour with all the people. And the Lord added to the church daily such as should be saved.

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- Eph 5:30 For we are members of his body, of his flesh, and of his bones.

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- Mat 16:18 And I say also unto thee, That thou art Peter, and upon this rock I will build my church; and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it.



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- Act 8:1 And Saul was consenting unto his death. And at that time there was a great persecution against the church which was at Jerusalem; and they were all scattered abroad throughout the regions of Judaea and Samaria, except the apostles.

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- Rom 16:1 I commend unto you Phebe our sister, which is a servant of the church which is at Cenchrea:



# Saved

1.The church is us. (1 Co 12:27)

*a)We are the church--There is no “they!”*

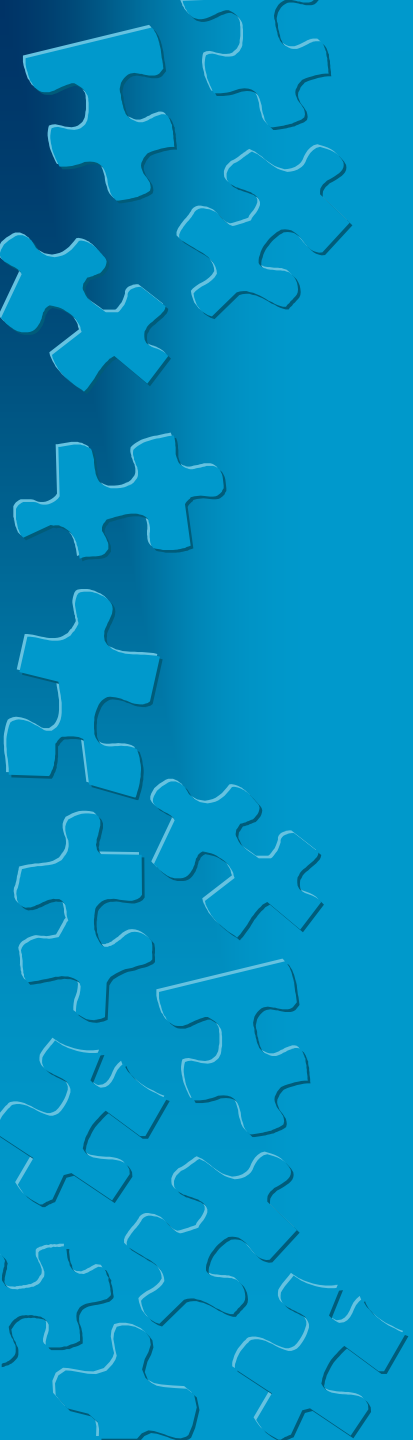
*b)We do not go to church.*

*c)The church is not a building.*

*d)The church is not a service.*



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- 1Co 12:27 Now ye are the body of Christ, and members in particular.






# Bible Believers

1. We have a Faith -based position in God's Word. This means we believe:

*a) The Bible is God's Word. 2 Ti 3:16*


*b) It is inspired. 2 Ti 3:16*

*c) It is preserved. Psa 12:6-7,*



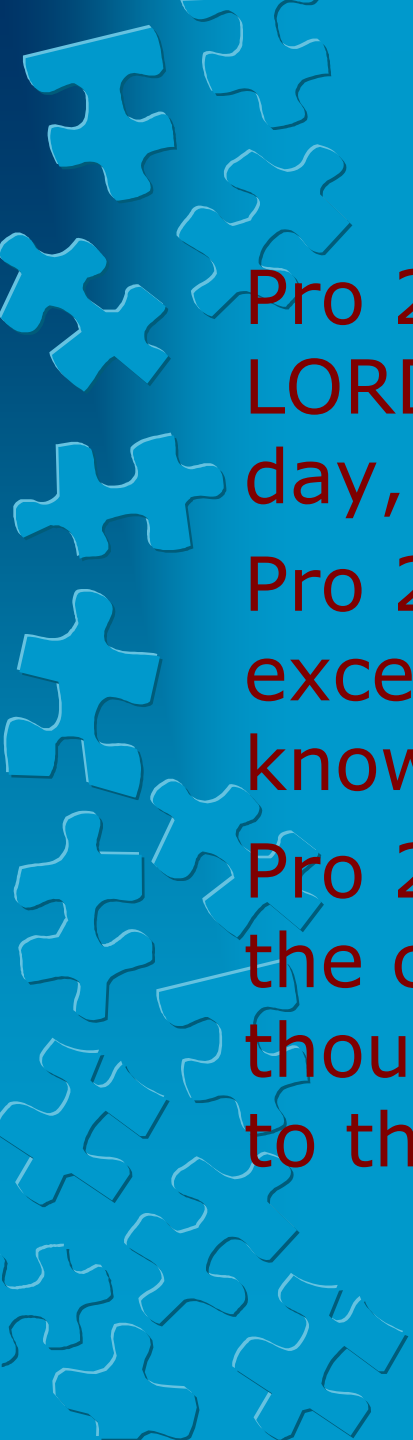
2Ti 3:16 All scripture *is* given by  
inspiration of God, and *is* profitable  
for doctrine, for reproof, for  
correction, for instruction in  
righteousness:





Psa 12:6 The words of the LORD  
*are* pure words: *as* silver tried in a  
furnace of earth, purified seven  
times.


Psa 12:7 Thou shalt keep them, O  
LORD, thou shalt preserve them  
from this generation for ever.



Pro 22:19 That thy trust may be in the LORD, I have made known to thee this day, even to thee.

Pro 22:20 Have not I written to thee excellent things in counsels and knowledge,

Pro 22:21 That I might make thee know the certainty of the words of truth; that thou mightest answer the words of truth to them that send unto thee?

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- Rev 22:18 For I testify unto every man that heareth the words of the prophecy of this book, If any man shall add unto these things, God shall add unto him the plagues that are written in this book:
  - Rev 22:19 And if any man shall take away from the words of the book of this prophecy, God shall take away his part out of the book of life, and out of the holy city, and *from* the things which are written in this book.
  - Rev 22:20 He which testifieth these things saith, Surely I come quickly. Amen. Even so, come, Lord Jesus.



# Bible Believers

1. Because we can know what the Bible says:

*a) We can be obedient.*

*b) We can be like-minded*

*c) We will be less frustrated (will not have unmet expectations. Frustrations come from unmet expectations.)*






Passion Flower



# On a Mission

A. On a Mission: We are here to Make disciples.

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- Mat 28:18 And Jesus came and spake unto them, saying, All power is given unto me in heaven and in earth.
  - Mat 28:19 Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost:
  - Mat 28:20 Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you alway, *even* unto the end of the world. Amen.



# On a Mission


*60 Million copies of Purpose Driven Life by Rick Warren (2013 data). #1 selling hardback book in American History according to Publisher's Weekly. (Christians, in general, do not know their purpose!)*





# On a Mission

- ...So far: The church is you with a purpose. We do not do things in the church. We do things as the church! We function together according to His gifting (1 Co 12:7).



1Co 12:7 But the manifestation of the Spirit is given to every man to profit withal.

## ACROSS THE METRO

KANSAS CITY | UNDETERRED BY THE WEATHER



JILL TOYOSHIBA | THE KANSAS CITY STAR

In preparation for Sunday services, the Rev. Sam Miles and others tidied up the grounds of the Kansas City Baptist Temple on Saturday afternoon. The midtown church began Sunday services only a few months ago.


















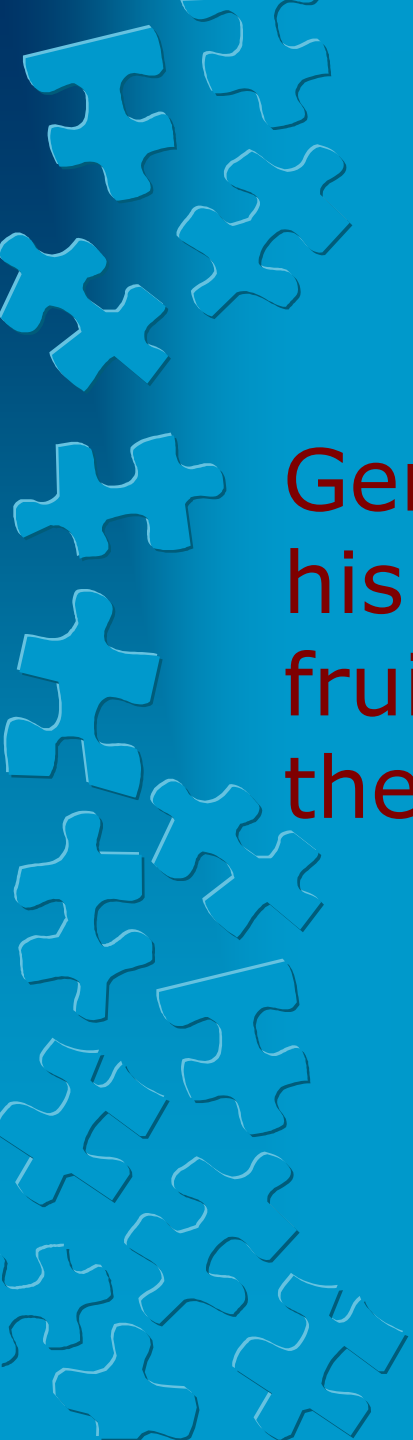




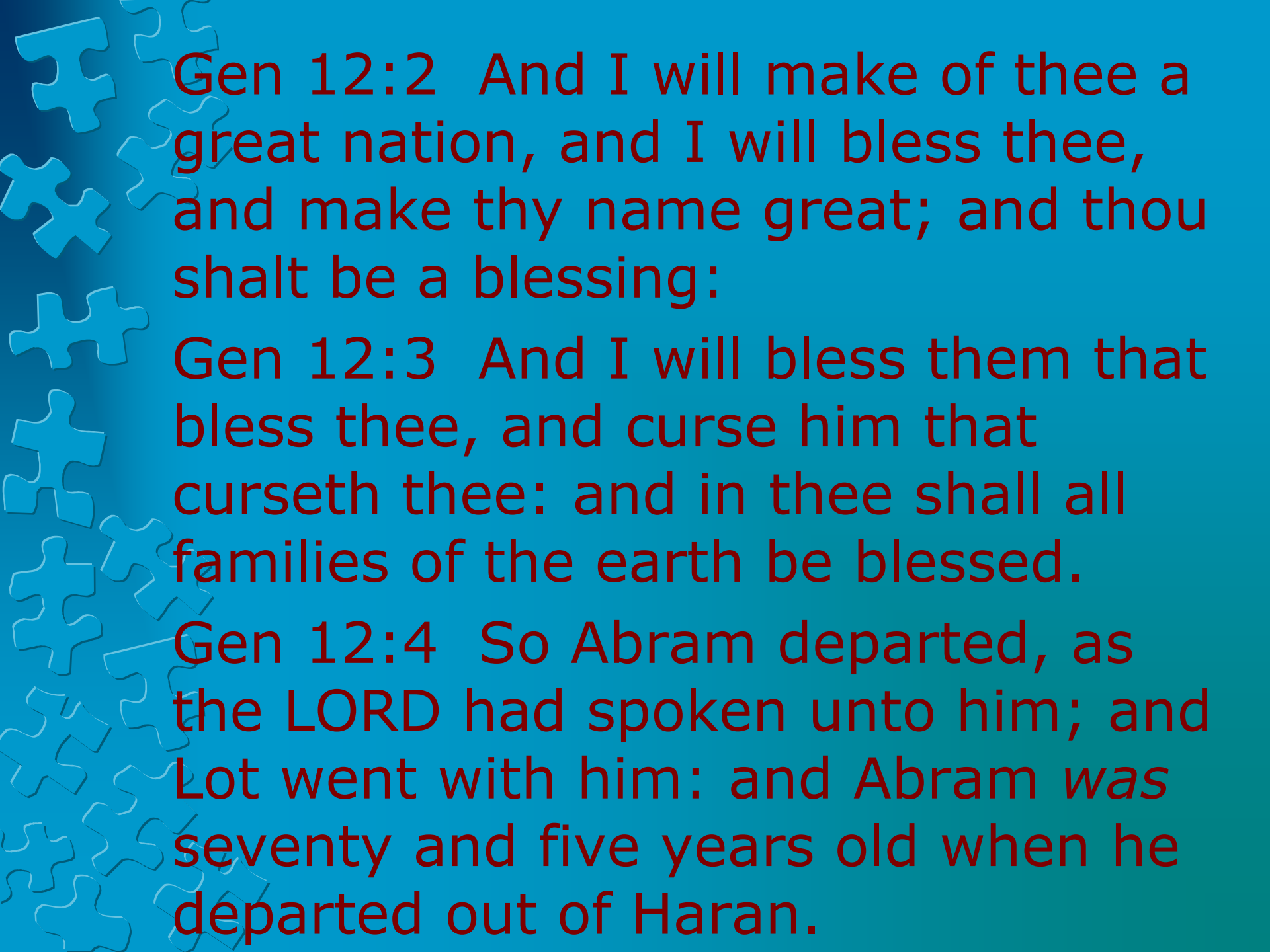


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Gen 1:28 And God blessed them,  
and God said unto them, Be fruitful,  
and multiply, and replenish the  
earth, and subdue it: and have  
dominion over the fish of the sea,  
and over the fowl of the air, and  
over every living thing that moveth  
upon the earth.

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Gen 9:1 And God blessed Noah and his sons, and said unto them, Be fruitful, and multiply, and replenish the earth.



Gen 12:2 And I will make of thee a great nation, and I will bless thee, and make thy name great; and thou shalt be a blessing:

Gen 12:3 And I will bless them that bless thee, and curse him that curseth thee: and in thee shall all families of the earth be blessed.

Gen 12:4 So Abram departed, as the LORD had spoken unto him; and Lot went with him: and Abram *was* seventy and five years old when he departed out of Haran.

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Act 1:8 But ye shall receive power,  
after that the Holy Ghost is come  
upon you: and ye shall be witnesses  
unto me both in Jerusalem, and in  
all Judaea, and in Samaria, and unto  
the uttermost part of the earth.





This new Hubble image shows NGC 1566, a beautiful galaxy located approximately 40 million light-years away in the constellation of Dorado (The Dolphinfish).

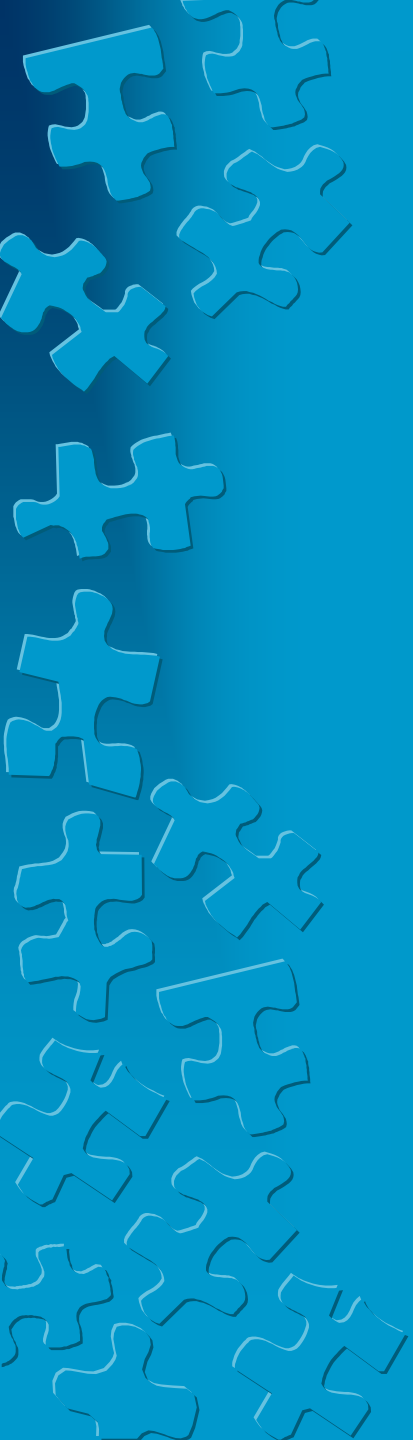


Session 2: What We Do


# WHAT WE DO: PHILOSOPHY OF DISCIPLESHIP



A. Discipleship is the mission, not a class or a program.




1. The Mission: Preach gospel to the lost, disciple those who respond. Part of their discipleship is that they will reproduce themselves. That they will become disciple makers who will make disciples, who will make disciples. 2 Ti 2:2, 15.

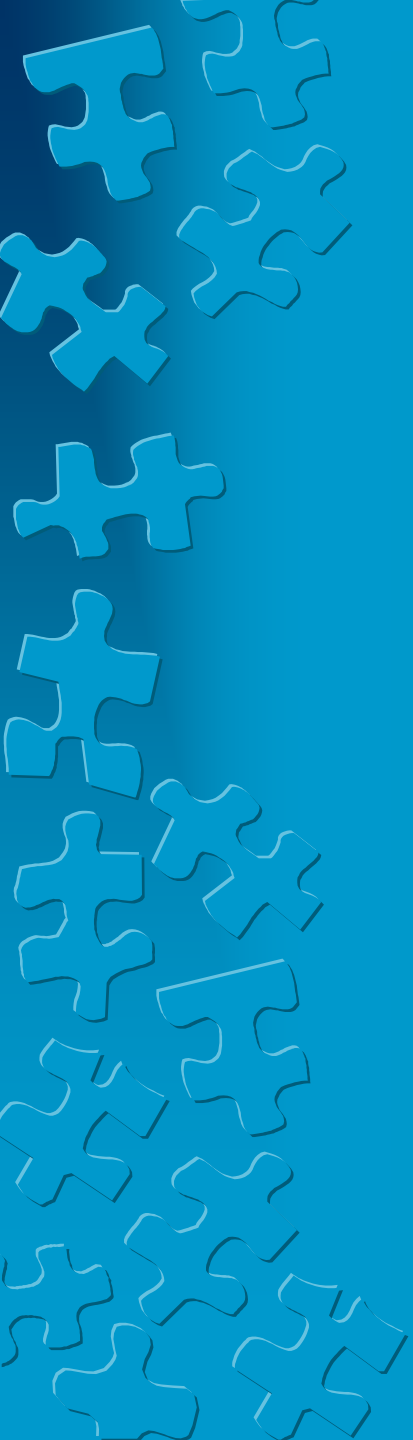


2Ti 2:2 And the things that thou hast heard of me among many witnesses, the same commit thou to faithful men, who shall be able to teach others also.






2Ti 2:15 Study to shew thyself  
approved unto God, a workman that  
needeth not to be ashamed, rightly  
dividing the word of truth.




*1. Isn't that the pastor's job? No.  
Having faith in God's Word to  
change people, and for Holy Spirit to  
be the teacher allows for members  
to disciple other members. Heb  
4:12, John 17:17; 1 Cor. 2.*



Heb 4:12 For the word of God *is* quick, and powerful, and sharper than any twoedged sword, piercing even to the dividing asunder of soul and spirit, and of the joints and marrow, and *is* a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart.

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Joh 17:17 Sanctify them through  
thy truth: thy word is truth.



1Co 2:10 But God hath revealed  
*them* unto us by his Spirit: for the  
Spirit searcheth all things, yea, the  
deep things of God.








# *Biblical Expectations of a church member:*

1. Get here (Matt 18:20, 1 Cor 5:4, Jude 1:19, Heb 10:25)

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- Heb 10:25 Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some *is*; but exhorting *one another*: and so much the more, as ye see the day approaching.



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- Rom 12:1 I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, *which is your reasonable service.*



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