

# Evangelism Part II

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## Review: Evangelism is...

- A. Overflow – a natural byproduct of Spirit filled lives
- B. One beggar telling another beggar where to get bread – if you have not yet tasted the bread, it will be hard to tell others
- C. “To evangelize is to present Jesus Christ in the power of the Holy Spirit, that men shall come to put their trust in God through Him, to accept Him as their Savior, and serve Him as their King in the fellowship of His church.” (Archbishop William Temple) – **Matthew 28:18-20**

1. **Remember**, the mission of the church is broader than evangelism alone. Our mission includes worship, influence, healing and directing.

**Matthew 22:35-40, 5:13-16** – Salt and Light

2. **“...present Jesus Christ...”** - Evangelism is good news about Jesus (not the claims of a church, leader, or any other aspect of church life.)

**Acts 4:12** – No other Name...

3. **“... put their trust in God...”** - Evangelism is centered in God the Father – it is Trinitarian and brings us into relationship with all of God, not just one aspect of Him

**Matthew 28:19** – Father, Son, and Spirit

4. **“... in the power of the Holy Spirit...”** - Evangelism is dependent upon the Holy Spirit

**John 6:65**

5. **“... in the fellowship of His Church...”** – (notice the aloneness) Evangelism means incorporation into the church

**I Corinthians 12:13** – Baptized into one body

6. “...men shall come to put their trust in God...” - Evangelism challenges decision – a decision must be made; to not make a decision is to make a decision!

**Acts 2:38** – Repent...

7. “ ... serve Him as their King...” - Evangelism issues in discipleship – a disciple is a lifelong learner

**Matthew 28:19** – make disciples!

**Since we agree with and understand all this... what is our problem? What is holding us back?**