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ALLIANCE MISSIONS (CONDENSED): ACTS 14–15

As Paul and Barnabas (P&B) returned to Antioch for their "home assignment" where they gathered the church together to report all that God had done, so our Alliance workers want to share with us, their "senders," some incredible stories—many of them unfinished.

I. WE INVITE GOD into our own unfinished spiritual journeys when we talk about being involved in missions.

- A. We are allowing Him
- B. The matter of law and grace was one God was still working out within their midst (see Acts 15:1-2).

II. GOD INVITES US into the unfinished stories of individuals, communities, and peoples whom He loves.

A. This invitation propels us

A.to pray;

B. to serve; and

C. to send and support those who have been called to take the gospel to the regions beyond (see Acts 14:27 and 15:7–9, 12).

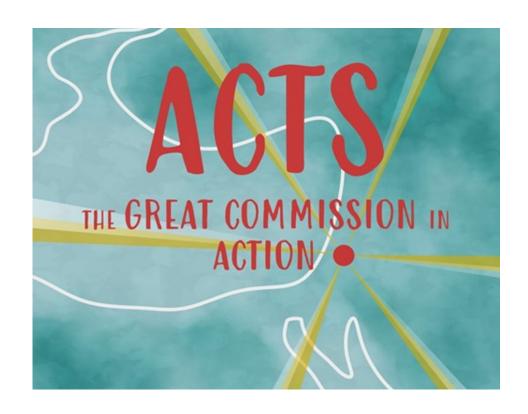
III. WE JOIN GOD in His unfinished mission—the Great Commission—until all have had opportunity to hear and respond to His invitation (see Acts 14:27 and 15:14–18).

- A. "He opened a door of faith to the Gentiles" (Acts 14:27). "Gentile" (ethnos) equals people group.
- B. When we look at Matthew 24:14 and Revelation 7:9, we see that this open door is God's unfinished mission. The question for us isn't: "Will these peoples come to the door?" Rather it's: "Will we follow God through His open door to reach these peoples?"
- C. In Acts 15:14–18, James tells the story of God's unfinished mission.

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What a privilege to think that we can be a part of what God wants to finish! Joining in Alliance mission efforts means that we are able to participate in new and unfinished stories around the world. The goal of the Church is to see the Great Commission carried out.

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Greenview Alliance Church

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Welcome!

We're glad you're here.

If you are a visitor today or church member with a prayer request or if you need to contact a staff member or elder, please take a moment to fill out the attached connection card and place it in the offering plate, located at the back of the sanctuary.

Nursery for children ages 0 up to 4 years old. KidZone is not available for kids age 4-5th grade today. All are fully staffed with trained and cleared volunteers.

Duane Buffington will lead us in prayer.

Pastor Ron will be blessing us with the message, Week 6 of 40 Days of Alliance Missions (The Great Commission).

The worship team will be leading the following songs: Good Good Father, This is Amazing Grace, Jesus Only, and Build My Life.

Thank you for spending your morning with us!

This Week at Greenview...

Sunday:

9:30am Worship Service Super Bowl Party 6:30pm-?

Monday:

10:00am-1:00pm Office Hours

Tuesday:

10:00am-1:00pm Office Hours

Wednesday:

Men's Study (Greenview Library) 6:00am

10:00am-1:00pm Office Hours

Thursday:

10:00am-1:00pm Office Hours

Saturday:

10:30am Sojourner Truth (help the least of these)

~ Highlights ~

This coming Saturday, February 13th at Sojourner Truth. The menu is goulash, salad, rolls and cake. Please sign up at the welcome to come along side us, to be a blessing to others.



42 For I was hungry, and you didn't feed me. I was thirsty, and you didn't give me a drink. 43 I was a stranger, and you didn't invite me into your home. I was naked, and you didn't give me clothing. I was sick and in prison, and you didn't visit me.'

45 "And he will answer, 'I tell you the truth, when you refused to help the least of these my brothers and sisters, you were refusing to help me.' 46 "And they will go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous will go into eternal life."

The second offering today will be for EPD Church Planting.

The women's group has set out a Valentine's Day Giving Tree to collect donations for COTTAGEMINISTRIES.COM. If you'd like to donate bibles or a bundle of shingles to this wonderful ministry, stop by the tree in the lobby after service and see Carol Fish, Sue Raymer or Cara Smith. Collecting today thru Sunday. February 13th.

Seeking ministering positions for Sojourner House of Hope. Is God calling you to local missions? Sojourner House of Hope is a home of refuge and transformation for women leaving homelessness behind right here in Williamsport. It is an extension of Sojourner Truth Ministries, and if you are a mature Christian woman dedicated to Jesus with a missional heart, there may be a position for you! Seeking several paid positions, from part-time staff support (various shifts) to case manager, also seeking several volunteer positions. Looking forward to your call to answer any questions you may have! check out stmwilliamsport.org, or call 570-323-1797 (Sojourner Truth Ministries), or email pastor Angelique directly: Angelique4stm@gmail.com

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decided to become a follower of Jesus would like the pastor to follow up with me on a decision I made today recommitted my life to Jesus today

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Change in contact information