

Church
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30 Days of Mission+



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COMMUNITY CHURCH OF SEATTLE



In 2025, Community Church of Seattle (CCS) will be going through 30 Days of Mission: Church Uplifting Church. Last year, God gave CCS a dream for missions. We embraced that dream and spent a meaningful year. This year, CCS once again moves forward, holding in our hearts the mission that pleases God the most. We aim to not only spread the gospel but also serve to help many churches rise up with strength.

Through 30 Days of Mission, CCS will examine biblical models of how individuals, families, small groups, and church communities can engage in mission. Additionally, we will specifically select several churches to actively pray for and carry out projects. Furthermore, we will continue to serve mission fields and churches through outreach this year. Through all these processes, we will witness the amazing work of mission and the gospel that God has accomplished in mission fields and churches.

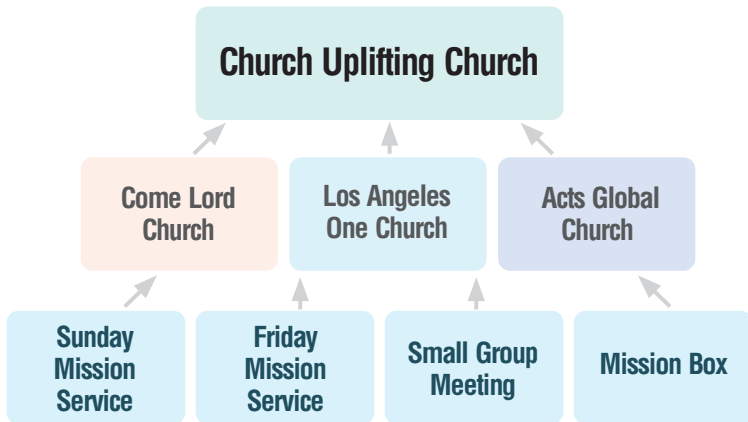
We invite all believers to the wonderful place of blessing that God has prepared. Let's be deeply trained by the Word and take the gospel to the mission fields. When we go to serve, God will pour out grace and reveal His glory there. It may seem like we are going there to give, but in reality, we will receive an unforgettable, great blessing in our lives. Through 30 Days of Mission, we hope to embrace God's mission and be used as a church that uplift churches.

Servant in Christ, **James Kwon**

Overview of Campaign

Uplifting

- **30 Days of Missions** | Uplifting Church is a mission
- **Sunday Mission Service** | We listen to the core theme of the week through the Sunday sermon.
- **Friday Mission Service** | We hear about the church we will build together during this 30-day period.
- **Small Group Meeting** | We discuss with the small group members based on the biblical models on mission.
- **Mission Box** | We create and submit mission boxes in our small groups to serve other churches, provided by the church.



Come Lord Church



Pastor Diego Damian Lopez Alvarez, Manipa De La Paz Kim Ha,
Naomi Hayon Lopez Kim, Daigo Hajun Lopez Kim

Main Ministry Activities

- Preach the gospel to local Paraguayans and Paraguayan mestizos.
- Following the training received from Come Mission, we are establishing missionary families and missionary churches in Paraguay.

Prayer Request

- May many Paraguayans return to the Lord.
- As we eagerly await the Lord's return, may we fulfill our role as a church that embraces the nations and engages in missions.

Los Angeles One Church



Pastor Chan Kwak, Su (wife), Cryschan,
Nissi, David Teng, Jireh, Joy

Main Ministry Activities

- All-generation worship: All generations worship together.
- Church planting, mission work, disciple training, and preaching the gospel to the South Los Angeles community.

Prayer Request

- May the church become a place where believers are trained and produce ministers such as evangelists, pastors, preachers, and missionaries.
- Grant us a church building where we can hold Sunday worship, Bible studies, and disciple training during the week.

Acts Global Church



Pastor Steve Park, Grace (wife),
Hyemin, Sungmin, Promise, Christine, Daniel

Main Ministry Activities

- **Diaspora ministry:** We are carrying out projects such as the Japanese men's dormitory, Japanese women's dormitory & shelter, mission through worship with Koreans, becoming a community of prayer for all people, Nehemiah 52 prayers, and word-based prayers.
- Through the four core values (worship, mission, word, prayer), we are nurturing a missionary identity and conducting open discipleship (focused on Japanese individuals who want to know Jesus).

Prayer Request

- May the church become one in the Word and prayer, transcending language, ethnicity, culture, and history, united in the gospel.
- Through preaching the gospel to the Japanese diaspora, may the church become a missionary church that embraces the nations beyond Japan.

I am a missionary

Ice Breakers

As 30 Days of Mission begins, share your personal expectations.

Examine God's Word

Matthew 28:18-20

¹⁸ Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. ¹⁹ 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, ²⁰ and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."

Understand Setting

The core of the Great Commission: Make disciples.

Jesus was nailed to the cross and died. However, He broke the power of death and rose again on the third day. Before ascending to heaven, the resurrected Jesus gave an important command to His disciples. The Great Commission is the nickname for this command.

When we examine the original Greek text, the main verb of the Great Commission is the imperative "make disciples." Following this, three participles—"go," "baptizing," and "teaching them to obey"—serve to describe how the main verb is to be carried out. Disciples are commanded to establish other disciples of Jesus through these three actions. The core of this command is that, just as Jesus taught His disciples, they too are to make other disciples of Jesus. Jesus promised that He would always be with those who obey this command until the very end of the world.

The churches in the New Testament that obeyed the Great Commission

After Jesus gave the Great Commission to His disciples, He ascended to heaven. Following this, the disciples obeyed Jesus' command and prayed in the Upper Room, waiting for the Holy Spirit. After experiencing the event of Pentecost, when the Holy Spirit came upon them, the disciples boldly proclaimed the resurrection of Jesus with the power of the Holy Spirit. From then on, the Bible records the ongoing history of the disciples continually preaching about Jesus and making disciples.

The Apostle Paul, who obeyed the Great Commission

A representative person who gave his life to obey the Great Commission is Paul. After meeting Jesus, Paul was completely transformed. And now, according to Jesus' command, he dedicated his life to making disciples. Through Paul, many disciples were raised. For example, there was "Timothy," who was from Lystra. Later, there was "Silas," who accompanied him on his second missionary journey. Through his epistles, we learn that Paul raised a disciple named "Titus." Everywhere Paul went, he established disciples of Jesus, and those disciples stayed in their regions, dedicating themselves to making other disciples. Through Paul, disciples were raised, and God's kingdom was realized on earth.

The Great Commission is our mission

Jesus entrusted the Great Commission to all disciples, both past and future. Therefore, this command was not given only to the disciples recorded in the book of Acts, but it is also a mission entrusted to us, who live in the present. Today, we too must hold this mission in our hearts and dedicate ourselves to making disciples. Just as God used Paul, He will use us in the present to build His kingdom.

Meditate the Text

1-1 **Observation** In the space below, fill in the core message of the Great Commission that Jesus commanded His disciple. (Matthew 28:19)

¹⁹Therefore go and make _____ of all nations ...

1-2 **Application** According to the Great Commission given by Jesus, if there is anyone who has made me a disciple or someone I have trained as a disciple, please share.

2-1 **Observation** What promise did Jesus give along with the Great Commission to His disciples? (Matthew 28:20)

2-2 **Application** Share about the difficulties you have experienced when making someone a disciple of Jesus and how you experienced God's help through it.

Review the text

The core of the Great Commission given by Jesus is making disciples. Mission is about making other disciples according to Jesus' Great Commission. First, we must go to all nations. We must also baptize them in the name of the Triune God. And, we must teach them to obey Jesus' words. We must go beyond simply preaching the gospel and move toward making disciples. The goal of mission is not just for people to receive the gospel and be saved, but to be made disciples of Jesus. For those who obey this command, the Lord will be with them and give them the ability to accomplish it.

Word to Mission

- 1 Write a thank-you letter or text to the person who discipled you (mentor, teacher, pastor, etc.)
- 2 Remembering the example of the person who discipled you, write down what kind of discipler you would like to become in the future.
- 3 Mission Box: During the 30 Days of Mission period, a Mission Box will be created in sequence. Write down a list of items you want to place in this box together with your group members.
- 4 Next week's meeting preparation: We are not only to be disciples of Jesus individually, but we must also walk the path of discipleship with our families. Prepare through prayer for your family to walk in faith together.

A Missional Family

Ice Breakers

Share the most challenging message you received from this week's sermon.

Examine God's Word

Acts 18:1-4, 18, 24-26

¹ After this, Paul left Athens and went to Corinth. ² There he met a Jew named Aquila, a native of Pontus, who had recently come from Italy with his wife Priscilla, because Claudius had ordered all Jews to leave Rome. Paul went to see them, ³ and because he was a tentmaker as they were, he stayed and worked with them. ⁴ Every Sabbath he reasoned in the synagogue, trying to persuade Jews and Greeks... ¹⁸ Paul stayed on in Corinth for some time. Then he left the brothers and sisters and sailed for Syria, accompanied by Priscilla and Aquila. Before he sailed, he had his hair cut off at Cenchreae because of a vow he had taken... ²⁴ Meanwhile a Jew named Apollos, a native of Alexandria, came to Ephesus. He was a learned man, with a thorough knowledge of the Scriptures. ²⁵ He had been instructed in the way of the Lord, and he spoke with great fervor and taught about Jesus accurately, though he knew only the baptism of John. ²⁶ He began to speak boldly in the synagogue. When Priscilla and Aquila heard him, they invited him to their home and explained to him the way of God more adequately.

Understand Setting

Aquila and Priscilla, the Couple Who Shared the Gospel with Paul

The book of Acts introduces the model of a family that shares the gospel. When Paul was spreading the gospel, he met a couple named Aquila and Priscilla. This couple was born in Pontus and had lived in Rome. While living in Rome, they practiced their faith, but due to an edict from

the emperor, they had to move to the region on Corinth, where they met Paul and worked together. On the Sabbath, they preached the gospel as disciples alongside Paul. This couple believed in Jesus with Paul and became a missionary family, spreading the gospel together.

The Couple Who Made Apollos a Disciple of Jesus Christ

Aquila and Priscilla also raised another disciple. The couple accompanied Paul on his third missionary journey, during which they met Apollos. Apollos was a Jew who knew the Old Testament well and was a rabbi or apologist. Although Apollos knew about Jesus, he only understood the baptism of John. Through Aquila and Priscilla, Apollos was taught more thoroughly about the way of Jesus and became a powerful and influential disciple, boldly preaching that Jesus is the Christ. As this couple shared the gospel together, they raised a disciple who had an even greater impact than themselves.

The Calling to Be a Missionary Family

God has shown us that not only should we personally make disciples, but families should also work together to make disciples. We are called to obey the Great Commission not just individually but also as families. Like Aquila and Priscilla, we must hold a shared dream of advancing God's kingdom and become a family that preaches the gospel for His kingdom. With this vision in mind, we should continue to share faith talks with our family members. Through our families, other families should also be blessed and raised as disciples of Jesus.

Meditate the Text

1-1 **Observation** What did Aquila and Priscilla do when they met Paul in Corinth? (Acts 18:3-4)

1-2 **Application** Share the most memorable experience from a church program or ministry that your family participated in together.

2-1 **Observation** What did Aquila and Priscilla teach Apollos? (Acts 18:26)

2-2 **Application** Plan a small project to become a missional family (e.g., setting a time for prayer for missions, writing letters, providing support, visiting a mission field, etc.).

Review the text

God not only spoke to disciples who obey Jesus' Great Commission, but He also presented a model of a family that obeys the Great Commission. We must not only be disciples of Jesus personally, but also move forward as a community that obeys the Great Commission with our families and relatives nearby. When families move forward with a heart for God's kingdom together, God will build His kingdom through our families. We must pray for our family to also become a missional family that shares the gospel together.

Word to Mission

- 1 During the 30 Days of Mission period, write down what your family will practice for the three churches being served (Guidebook pages 4-6) and place it in a visible spot.
- 2 Have your family attend the "Friday Special Service" of the 30 Days of Mission at least once.
- 3 Decorate the Mission Box with your small group members and fill it with items together.
- 4 Preparation for next week's meeting: We will talk about the Great Commission given to our community, beyond individuals and families.

A Missional Small Group

Ice Breakers

Share the most challenging message you received from this week's sermon.

Examine God's Word

Philippians 1:1-11, Acts 16

¹ To all God's holy people in Christ Jesus at Philippi, together with the overseers and deacons: ² Grace and peace to you from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. ³ I thank my God every time I remember you. ⁴ In all my prayers for all of you, I always pray with joy ⁵ because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now, ⁶ being confident of this, that he who began a good work in you will carry it on to completion until the day of Christ Jesus. ⁷ It is right for me to feel this way about all of you, since I have you in my heart and, whether I am in chains or defending and confirming the gospel, all of you share in God's grace with me. ⁸ God can testify how I long for all of you with the affection of Christ Jesus. ⁹ And this is my prayer: that your love may abound more and more in knowledge and depth of insight, ¹⁰ so that you may be able to discern what is best and may be pure and blameless for the day of Christ, **11** filled with the fruit of righteousness that comes through Jesus Christ—to the glory and praise of God.

Understand Setting

Philippi, the First City in Europe to Receive the Gospel

According to Acts 16, Paul and his companions were guided by the Holy Spirit to cross into Europe. Upon arriving in Philippi, the first city in the Macedonian region of Europe, Paul and his companions sought a place to pray on the Sabbath and met Lydia, a believer. Lydia and her household were baptized and welcomed Paul and his companions into their home.

This was the establishment of the first believing household in the city of Philippi.

Small Group in Philippi

While Paul was preaching in Philippi, he was falsely accused and imprisoned with Silas. During their time in prison, the jailer and his household came to faith in Jesus Christ in the middle of the night. As a result, a second group of disciples was established in Philippi. These two households formed a community of believers following Jesus together (Acts 16:40). Paul continued to care for this community of believers while on his missionary journeys, establishing further disciples. Ultimately, the church in Philippi was founded.

The Philippian Church's Participation in the Work of the Gospel

In his letter to the Philippians, Paul provides clues about the church community there. Unlike his other letters, the word "joy" appears 13 times in Philippians, indicating that the Philippian community frequently performed acts that pleased God. From the time the community was first established until Paul wrote his letter from prison, the Philippian church continued to "participate in the work of the gospel" (Philippians 1:5).

The Missionary Community of Philippi

The Philippian church offers us a model of a missionary community. By following Paul's prayers, we, too, can participate continuously as a community in the work of the gospel, and God will use our community. Just as Paul prayed, we should also pray together for the fruit of righteousness that we wish to offer to the Lord within our community (Philippians 1:11). Together, we should dream of God's kingdom and attempt outreach as a united group.

Meditate the Text

1-1 **Observation** Who were the first and second households that Paul and his companions preached to in the region of Philippi? (Acts 16:14-15, 27-34)

1-2 **Application** Both households received Jesus and all the family members were baptized. Share and pray together for someone in your family or relatives to whom you want to share the gospel.

2-1 **Observation** When Paul wrote the book of Philippians, how did he describe the community in that region? Fill in the blanks below (Philippians 1:5).


⁵because of your _____ in the gospel from the first day until now,

2-2 **Application** Read the prayer requests for the three churches being served during the 30 Days of Mission period (Guidebook pages 4-6) with your small group members and pray together.

Review the text

Through the book of Philippians, we can discover a model of a missional community. The Philippian community, from the moment it was established, continuously participated in the work of the gospel and was a missional community. The Apostle Paul expressed his joy and love for the community by using the word "joy" a total of thirteen times. Additionally, Paul prayed that the Philippian community would bear much fruit of righteousness until the day of Christ. God calls us to be a community that bears much fruits. Through prayers and various services for the missionaries assigned to each community, God's kingdom will be realized in the mission fields.

Word to Mission

- 1 After completing the mission box, upload the photo to the 30 Days of Mission website(<http://mission2025.hyungjae.org>). 
- 2 Please submit the completed mission box to the community campaign table by Sunday, April 6.
- 3 Next week's meeting preparation: We will talk about becoming a reproducing community, not only making disciples but also moving forward as a community that makes more disciples.

Church Uplifting Church

Ice Breakers

Share the most challenging message you received from this week's sermon.

Examine God's Word

Acts 13:1-1-5, 15:40-41, 18:22-23

¹ Now there were in the church at Antioch prophets and teachers, Barnabas, Simeon who was called Niger, Lucius of Cyrene, Manaen a lifelong friend of Herod the tetrarch, and Saul. ² While they were worshiping the Lord and fasting, the Holy Spirit said, "Set apart for me Barnabas and Saul for the work to which I have called them."

³ Then after fasting and praying they laid their hands on them and sent them off. ⁴ So, being sent out by the Holy Spirit, they went down to Seleucia, and from there they sailed to Cyprus. ⁵ When they arrived at Salamis, they proclaimed the word of God in the synagogues of the Jews. And they had John to assist them.

⁴⁰ But Paul chose Silas and departed, having been commended by the brothers to the grace of the Lord. ⁴¹ And he went through Syria and Cilicia, strengthening the churches.

²² When he had landed at Caesarea, he went up and greeted the church, and then went down to Antioch. ²³ After spending some time there, he departed and went from place to place through the region of Galatia and Phrygia, strengthening all the disciples.

Understand Setting

From the Jerusalem Church to the Antioch Church

After the martyrdom of Stephen in Jerusalem, there was widespread persecution against Christians. The scattered Christians preached the gospel of Jesus Christ wherever they went. Among these places, the

gospel was also shared in Antioch, where a church community was established (Acts 12:19). Hearing that disciples were in Antioch, the Jerusalem church sent a spiritual leader, Barnabas, to them (Acts 12:22). To serve many disciples, Barnabas invited Paul, who was preaching in Tarsus, and the church community grew significantly (Acts 12:25-26). In Antioch, a community of believers was formed, consisting of both Jews and Gentiles who believed in Jesus.

The Guidance of the Holy Spirit in the Antioch Church

In the Antioch church, the Holy Spirit spoke to the spiritual leaders of the community. The Holy Spirit instructed them to set apart Barnabas and Paul, and the church community, following the Holy Spirit's guidance, laid hands on them and sent them out as missionaries (Acts 13:1-3). The Antioch church was relatively new, but it had grown rapidly, and there was an increasing need for spiritual leaders within the church. Despite this, the church followed the Holy Spirit's guidance and sent out two influential spiritual leaders as missionaries.

Antioch Church: The Base for Paul's First, Second, and Third Missionary Journeys

Following the Holy Spirit's guidance, the Apostle Paul began his mission journeys. During the first journey, he preached in the region of Asia Minor. During the second journey, although he wanted to go to Ephesus in Asia Minor, he was directed by the Holy Spirit to spread the gospel in Europe instead. On his third missionary journey, he visited the disciples and churches he had previously established. Throughout these journeys, Paul always returned to the Antioch church to report on his mission work. The Antioch church was not only the church that sent missionaries but also a community that continuously participated in mission work.

A Church that Reproduces Other Churches

God shows us not only the model of a church that establishes other churches but also calls us to be a reproducing church. By dedicating ourselves to this calling, we look forward in faith to the establishment of churches in the nations of the world.

Meditate the Text

1-1 **Observation** What did the Holy Spirit command the Antioch church, and how did the church community obey? (Acts 13:2-3)

1-2 **Application** Please share an experience where you have experienced the guidance of the Holy Spirit in your faith journey.

2-1 **Observation** Where are the region that divide the missionary journeys of the Apostle Paul?

Acts 18:22, After landing at Caesarea and going up to greet the church, he went down to

2-2 **Application** Through the QR code below, call the names of all the missionaries sent by CCS and pray for the missionaries your small group is serving.


PRAY



Review the text

The Holy Spirit is the leader of missions. It was through the guidance of the Holy Spirit that the Antioch Church sent Barnabas and Paul as missionaries. The Antioch Church community had grown significantly, and there must have been a lot of work to do internally. However, contrary to human thinking, the Holy Spirit sent these two influential individuals as missionaries for the work of God's kingdom. Through the guidance of the Holy Spirit, the gospel was spread to the region of Asia Minor. And through the leading of the Holy Spirit, the gospel was also spread to the European region. The Holy Spirit is the leader of missions. Therefore, our church community must also follow the guidance of the Holy Spirit and move forward as a church community that builds churches.

Word to Mission

- 1 The mission boxes that were submitted to the church will be sold on April 13th, and all proceeds will be used for the three churches. After purchasing the mission boxes with your small group members, upload a certification photo on the website or SNS. (<http://mission2025.hyungjae.org>) 
- 2 Plan the outreach that will take place this year and fill out the outreach commitment form (P 23).
- 3 Reflect on the last meeting: Share the grace that God has given to individuals, families, and small groups through the community campaign.



Missionary Assignment Chart

Bothell Campus



Bellevue Campus



Downtown Campus



Outreach Registration

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