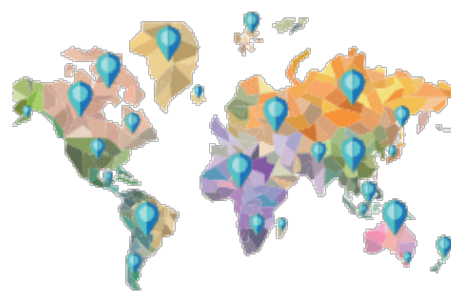


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GLOBAL MISSION

A mature Christian finds their place in global mission. They learn God's passion for the lost, and they long to see the gospel go to all corners of the earth. They find joy in providing loving support to mission workers. They make decisions about relationships, vocation, living-location and finances in service of the mission of God.



CHARACTER TO CULTIVATE

AFFECTIONS



Q1 *In what ways are you experiencing...*

- COMPASSION FOR THE LOST**, distressed for those unsaved.
- DELIGHT IN GOD'S MISSION HEART**, worshipping Him for it.

Q2 *What false idols might be getting in the way?*

THOUGHTS



Q3 *How is God helping you to develop...*

- MISSION MINDEDNESS**, seeking a life oriented to mission.
- CULTURAL AWARENESS**, with sensitivity and understanding.

Q4 *What unhelpful thinking is tripping you up?*

PRAYERS



Q5 *Do you experience...*

- MISSION PRAYER**, longing for doors to open for the gospel.
- SUPPORTER PRAYER**, faithfully upholding sent missionaries.

Q6 *What makes it hard for you to pray this way?*

BEHAVIOURS



Q7 *Are you seeing growth in these marks of godliness...*

- MISSION STEPS**, seeking the best fit for serving in mission.
- RELATIONAL SUPPORT**, an active friend to a missionary.

Q8 *In what contexts is this hardest for you?*

TRAINING EXPERIENCES

6.1

READ & DISCUSS

Work through a recommended Bible study or book, planning accountability & action steps.

6.2

REACHOUT

Help the pastors mobilise a group to attend Reachout missions conference, spurring missionary decisions.

6.3

SUPPORT TEAM

Apply to join the Mission Support Team and help grow a culture of mission-heartedness.

6.4

SHORT TERM TEAM

Apply to join a reputable short-term team to offer practical help in the field and encourage mission awareness.



I have become all things to all people, that by all means I might save some. I do it all for the sake of the gospel, that I may share with them in its blessings.


1 CORINTHIANS 9:22-23

CONVICTIONS TO DEVELOP


1. GOD	Trinity & Person of God	Divine Attributes	Evidence for God	Answering the Problem of Evil		
2. CREATION	Created Order & Goodness	Providence & Common Grace	Christianity & Science	Christianity & Conservation	Christianity & the Arts	Christianity & Industry
3. HUMANITY	Image of God	Gender and Sexuality	Work & Worship	Sin, Curse & Depravity	Christianity & Psychology	Christianity & Technology
4. JUDGMENT	Holiness & Divine Wrath	Satan & Demonic Power	Hell & Eternal Judgment	The Fate of the Lost	Powerlessness of Religion	
5. SCRIPTURE	Necessity of Revelation	Bible as God's Word	Interpretation via Gospel	OT Fulfilment in Christ	Bible Reliability	Power of the Gospel
6. CHRIST	Eternal Sonship	Full Humanity & Full Divinity	Perfect Obedience	Substitutionary Atonement	Implications of Resurrection	Historicity of Jesus
7. NEW CREATION	Reign & 2nd Coming	Heaven & Restoration	Kingdom of God	Tension of Now-Not-Yet	Ethics & Decision-making	
8. HOLY SPIRIT	Spirit of the Son	Indwelling of Believers	Gifting for Ministry	Error of Experientialism		
9. SALVATION	Knowing the Gospel	Predestination & New Birth	Repentance & Faith	Justification & Assurance	Sanctification & Ongoing Sin	Trials & Perseverance
10. CHURCH	Body of Christ & Household	Baptism & Membership	Communion & Unity	Ministry & Service	Local & Global Mission	

RESOURCES FOR DISCIPLESHIP


BIBLE STUDIES

 **Bible Books to Read and Carefully Meditate on**
ACTS, PHILIPPIANS, 2 PETER


 **Mission Unstoppable** (Acts, Matthias Media)
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 **Partners for Life** (Philippians, Matthias Media)
An exploration of the riddles of life, revealing the patterns and structures of God's wisdom in creation.

BOOKS & ARTICLES

 **Becoming Global** (Bruce Dipple)
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 **Operation World** (Jason Mandryk)
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 **Let the Nations be Glad!** (John Piper)
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