



GLOBAL

GLOBAL IMPACT CELEBRATION 2022

THE GLOBAL MANDATE

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Bucket list question: Where would you like to go before you die?

What does it mean to have God's global mandate?

I have a missional _____ (mindset transferred to a lifestyle).

- **Genesis 12:1-5** *The Lord had said to Abram, "Go from your country, your people and your father's household to the land I will show you. ² "I will make you into a great nation, and I will bless you; I will make your name great, and you will be a blessing. ³ I will bless those who bless you, and whoever curses you I will curse; and all peoples on earth will be blessed through you.*

I have a gospel _____ (wherever I live and wherever I go).

- **Romans 10:9-13** *If you declare with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. ¹⁰ For it is with your heart that you believe and are justified, and it is with your mouth that you profess your faith and are saved. ¹¹ As Scripture says, "Anyone who believes in him will never be put to shame." ¹² For there is no difference between Jew and Gentile—the same Lord is Lord of all and richly blesses all who call on him, ¹³ for, "Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.*

I am managed by Spirit-empowered _____.

- **Acts 1:6-8** *Then they gathered around him and asked him, "Lord, are you at this time going to restore the kingdom to Israel?" ⁷ He said to them: "It is not for you to know the times or dates the Father has set by his own authority. ⁸ But **you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses...***
- **Acts 16:6-10** *Paul and his companions traveled throughout the region of Phrygia and Galatia, having been kept by the Holy Spirit from preaching the word in the province of Asia. ⁷ When they came to the border of Mysia, they tried to enter Bithynia, but the Spirit of Jesus would not allow them to. ⁸ So they passed by Mysia and went down to Troas. ⁹ During the night Paul had a vision of a man of Macedonia standing and begging him, "Come over to Macedonia and help us." ¹⁰ After Paul had seen the vision, we got ready at once to leave for Macedonia, concluding that God had called us to preach the gospel to them.*

My church is a missionary _____ and I am commissioned (_____) member of it.

- **Matthew 28:19-20** *"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."*
- **Acts 1:8** *"But **you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.**"*
- **Romans 10:14-15** *How, then, can they call on the one they have not believed in? And how can they believe in the one of whom they have not heard? And how can they hear without someone preaching to them? ¹⁵ And how can anyone preach unless they are sent? As it is written: "How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news!"*
- **John 20:21** *"As the Father has sent me, **I am sending you.**"*



DIGGING DEEPER DURING GIC

This week, all our small groups and discussion groups will be centered around meeting one of our guest global workers. Your assignment for the week is to make sure you spend time getting to know one or more of them in one of those small group settings.

The following is the GIC guest list. Make sure you take some time to get to know a little about each guest, and hear directly from one or more of them in a personal way by visiting their small group presentations or their Saturday workshops. Take notes on their stories, then be challenged by the questions below.

- Luke Frank
- Andy & Laura Conner
- Joy R
- The Irwin family
- Beth B
- Regan & Robin Miller
- Gotta Go staff

What led them to follow God's calling to do what they do and serve where they serve?

What part of their story and testimony intrigues, touches or inspires you?

What part of their story challenges you deeply?

How do they fulfill God's mandate in John 20:21? (*"As the Father has sent me, I am sending you."*)

PERSONAL REFLECTION

- Is there any part of hearing from them that challenges you to live under a new mandate from God? Live differently? Go somewhere?
- Do I live under God's mandate for my life?