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**GAME**

*September 16, 2018*

# MESSAGE NOTES

## Get in the Game | Part 6

### When I join Jesus as an everyday missionary...

1. ...the mission is \_\_\_\_\_.

*“But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes upon you. And you will be my witnesses, telling people about me everywhere—in Jerusalem, throughout Judea, in Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.”*

Acts 1:8 (NLT)

2. ...the method is \_\_\_\_\_.

*As was his custom, Paul went into the synagogue...*

Acts 17:2a (NLT)

*While Paul was waiting for them in Athens, he was greatly distressed to see that the city was full of idols. So he reasoned in the synagogue with both Jews and God-fearing Greeks, as well as in the marketplace day by day with those who happened to be there.*

Acts 17:16-17 (NLT)

### How do I become an everyday missionary?

*So Paul, standing before the council, addressed them as follows: “Men of Athens, I notice that you are very religious in every way, for as I was walking along I saw your many shrines. And one of your altars had this inscription on it: ‘To an Unknown God.’ This God, whom you worship without knowing, is the one I’m telling you about.”*

Acts 17:22-23 (NLT)

a. \_\_\_\_\_

b. \_\_\_\_\_

c. \_\_\_\_\_

*I have become all things to all people so that by all possible means I might save some.*

1 Corinthians 9:22b (NIV)

# GRACE NEWS

***If you want more information or to volunteer with any of these opportunities, please make a note on the Let's Connect card.***

**What's up with the 9:41?** Why do the church bells chime at 9:41 every day? Why does church start at 9:41 on Sunday? Matthew 9:37-38 says "Then he said to his disciples, "The harvest is plentiful but the workers are few. 38 Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field." We are praying for laborers and we are praying that God would equip us to be harvesters! Set your phone alarm and join us in praying at 9:41 every day for our community, and the (941) area code. Use the prayer card available at the Info Desk to pray scripturally.

**Please plan to stay after the service** to lend a hand. Following the move, we will be showing the Miami Dolphin vs New York Jets game at 1:00 on the HUGE screen with CHILI COOKOFF.

**Sunday, September 23rd and Thursday, October 4th** – The Ghana Mission team is looking for drivers to get to and from the Tampa airport. The team needs to leave the church at 2:30 pm. Pick up on the 4th is at the Tampa airport at 4:00 pm. If you are willing to pick up a 15-passenger van from Sarasota airport, then drive the team to the Tampa airport, then return it to the Sarasota airport, please indicate on your Connect Card.

**Thursday 2:42 Gathering & Bible Study** – Acts 2:42 gathering will be taking a break until further notice. Stay tuned for the new series announcement with starting date!

**Ghana Mission Prayer Partners** – Prayer is as important to a mission trip as physically going! Be part of the Ghana mission by praying over the team when they leave from the church on September 23th at 4:00 then each night thereafter at 6:30pm in the Worship Center. Specific prayer requests will be sent from Ghana daily.

# LET'S CONNECT

PLEASE TEAR OUT AND DROP IN BOXES AS YOU EXIT

Date:     /     /      1st Time Visitor

How did you hear about Grace Church?

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Birthday:     /     /      Male    Female

I would like to meet with the pastor.

## MY DECISION TODAY

- I said **YES** for the first time, and became a follower of Jesus.
- I decided to **RENEW** my relationship with Jesus.

*We have resources to help you with your decision.*

# PRAYER REQUESTS

PRAY FOR: \_\_\_\_\_

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Public Prayer List     For Pastors Only

I WOULD LIKE INFORMATION ABOUT:

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\_\_\_\_\_  
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## JOINING THE TEAM

I'm interested in the Partnership Class!

## SMART GIVING

go to: [egracechurch.com/give](http://egracechurch.com/give)

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text any amount + "Sarasota" to:

**239.205.3123**

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**Nursing Home Ministry** – Are you a compassionate, caring person? Then you are just the person we need to join our team taking Jesus to nursing homes! There will be an informational meeting after the service on October 7th, at 11:00 in the conference room. We especially need a computer/tech-savvy person!

## WEEKLY SCHEDULE

**University of the Holy Spirit Bible Study** – Sundays, 8:30am – 9:30am in the back of the Gathering Place.

**Pastor Bible study** – Tuesdays at 7:30 am, meets in the Gathering Place.

**Fishing Club** – 2nd Tuesday of the month from 6:30 – 8:00pm in the Boat House - Learn from a speaker and 'hook-up' with fellow fisherman. Dinner available for \$5.00.

**City Commit** – Men's group, Wednesday mornings 6:30am-8:00am in the conference room

**Step Up** – AA meeting Wednesday mornings at 7:00 am in the Gathering Place Meeting room.

**Prayer hour** – Wednesdays, noon – 1 pm in the Worship Center. Come join us in praying for our church, our neighborhoods, the 941, & the nations. Come if you are in need of prayer.

**Praise & Worship practice** – Wednesdays, 6:00 – 8:30 in the Worship Center

**Sprout** - 2nd & 4th Thursday of the month - Community breakfast is served at 9:00am followed by food distribution by All Faiths Food Bank from 10:00 – 11:30.

**Community Clothing Connection** - Open the 2nd & 4th Thursday of the month from 10:00 – 11:30 am. Most items are only \$1.00.



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