

GO! (Discipleship & Service)

I personally believe that it is impossible to truly serve without becoming a disciple of Jesus Christ. Often times, churches emphasize on the serving because there is always need for committed volunteers. There is nothing wrong with that except that the life of the individual might not be reflective of what should be evident in a follower of Christ.

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.”

This was the last statement of the Risen LORD to His disciples before His ascension back into heaven. You will receive power from the Holy Spirit to be my witness; you need power to serve and that power will come from the Holy Ghost. You cannot do without it.

What is the Power for?

1. To Live the life that is pleasing to God : Evangelism by life and then by words
2. To serve: this is inclusive of the various capacities one might be needed to serve in the congregation of God’s people.

The purpose of this is that we would be true representatives of Him (True Ambassadors). That in all that we do, we do it as unto Him; for His praise and glory not for any personal or self-centered reason.

****God’s way is LIFE before Works! ****

The manner in which the works are done is to be a reflection of the life within.

NOTES (Go!)

❖ Follow me because I am following Christ. (1 Corinthians 11:1)

1. What does it mean to be a disciple?

2. How can I be an effective disciple of Jesus?

3. How can I be a disciple maker for Jesus?

GOD BLESS YOU!!