## The Disciple Makers Our Mission, Our Vision

#### Matthew 28:18-20

## **Our Missions Statement** "We're called to GATHER, We're called to GROW, We're called to GIVE, and We're called to GO.

## The Great Commission The cross cultural calling and command of the Great **Commission to all Christians** is to make disciples of all nations.

# A TRUE Disciple

A true disciple of Jesus Christ is a dedicated and disciplined follower of Jesus who has embraced the calling and command of God to make disciples.

#### The Lifestyle of a Disciple Maker

- Matthew 5,6,7 The Sermon on the Mount
- Jesus first recorded message
  Theme The Lifestyle of a Disciple

#### Living the Blessed Life

- The Beatitudes supreme blessedness
- "makarios" "supremely blessed, extremely fortunate, well off, very happy."

Living the Blessed Life 1. Living the blessed life has nothing to do with your temporary circumstances! "mourn" - "persecuted" "revile you and speak evil against you falsely"

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- 2. Living the blessed life is based upon a long term eternal perspective.
- vs. 3 & 10 "kingdom of heaven"
- vs. 8 "shall see God"
- vs. 12 "...great is your reward..."

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- 3. Living the blessed life is based upon the development of internal Christ-like character.
- vs. 3 "poor in spirit"
- vs. 5 "meek"
- vs. 6,7,8, & 9

## Living the Blessed Life 4. Living the blessed life is based upon our international and global evangelical inheritance. vs. 5 - "blessed are the meek for they shall inherit the earth." • Revelation 11:15



- The fulfillment of our mission & vision demands our absolute participation!
- We must become disciple makers!
- It's the selfless people that are truly the happiest people!