



Evangelism can be Powerful

The Lord's church has been given a work to do. That work is to evangelize the world. Jesus commanded the apostles to go into the entire world and preach the Gospel to every creature (Mark 16:15-16). The Gospel is the good news that Jesus died on the cross for the sins of the world, that He was buried, and that He was resurrected from the grave, so that man might be saved and have the hope of eternal life. Christ said that it was the facts of that Gospel that were to be taken to all the world. He also said that the commands of the Gospel were to be preached and obeyed if man was to be saved.

Madison Park Church of Christ exists in Seattle because the Gospel needs to be preached and there are those who need to obey it. In addition to meeting each first day of the week, our main work is to evangelize, to preach the Gospel to those in our area. We should never be satisfied to just meet on the first day of the week to worship. Worship service is very important, as well as living the daily Christian life, but each child of God should be very much aware of the need to take the Gospel to their loved ones, to friends, to those who they work with, and to people in general.

When the church is busy taking the Gospel to others, then it is fulfilling the Great Commission. This is the only thing that will make the church grow both spiritually and numerically. Are you a Christian? If so, what are you doing? Are you teaching God's Word to the lost? What are your spiritual plans for the future growth of Madison Park?

May God help us to do more to take the Gospel to the world. This is the hope for the salvation of mankind. This is our hope.

