

A New Chapter

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So will My word be which goes forth from My mouth; It will not return to Me empty, Without accomplishing what I desire, And without succeeding in the matter for which I sent it.

Isaiah 55:11 (NASB)

We need teams for...

- **Special Events.**
- **Prayer.**
- **Small Groups.**
- **Children/Youth.**
- **Website Management.**
- **Parking Lot.**

so we, who are many, are one body in Christ, and individually members one of another. ⁶ Since we have gifts that differ according to the grace given to us, each of us is to exercise them accordingly: if prophecy, according to the proportion of his faith; ⁷ if service, in his serving; or he who teaches, in his teaching; ⁸ or he who exhorts, in his exhortation; he who gives, with liberality; he who leads, with diligence; he who shows mercy, with cheerfulness.

Romans 12:5-8 (NASB)

1. **Let's set some Goals.**

Wise people think before they act; fools don't—and even brag about their foolishness.

Proverbs 13:16 (NLT)

2. **Let's make a Plan.**

Good planning and hard work lead to prosperity, but hasty shortcuts lead to poverty.

Proverbs 21:5 (NLT)

Commit to the LORD whatever you do, and your plans will succeed.

Proverbs 16:3 (NIV)

Commit your way to the LORD; trust in him and he will do this:
Psalm 37:5 (NIV)

3. **Let our number one goal be Reaching the lost and Equipping the saved.**

Therefore, go and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit.

Matthew 28:19 (NLT)

for the equipping of the saints for the work of service, to the building up of the body of Christ; ¹³ until we all attain to the unity of the faith, and of the knowledge of the Son of God, to a mature man, to the measure of the stature which belongs to the fullness of Christ.

Ephesians 4:12-13 (NASB)

Therefore, my beloved brethren, be steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that your toil is not in vain in the Lord.

1 Corinthians 15:58 (NASB)

1 Corinthians 12:14, 18, 25 & 26 (NIV)

Now the body is not made up of one part but of many.

¹⁸ But in fact God has arranged the parts in the body, every one of them, just as he wanted them to be. ¹⁹ If they were all one part, where would the body be? ²⁰ As it is, there are many parts, but one body.

²⁵ so that there should be no division in the body, but that its parts should have equal concern for each other. ²⁶ If one part suffers, every part suffers with it; if one part is honored, every part rejoices with it.

"But seek first His kingdom and His righteousness, and all these things will be added to you.

Matthew 6:33 (NASB)

Where do you want to serve in the body of Christ in 2018?

Do you want to experience spiritual growth in 2018?