

THE CHURCH'S PRIMARY MISSION

Galatians 1:1-5

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- What is God's primary business today?
 - God is offering _____ to sinners.
- *“This is a faithful saying, and worthy of all acceptation, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners; of whom I am chief.” 1 Timothy 1:15*
- Church, we must get out the message of God's grace to this world.
 - Why is this so crucial?

First, because God is offering _____ with sinners. vs. 3

- Because of God's _____, peace is now possible between a holy God and sinful mankind.
- *“For the grace of God that bringeth salvation hath appeared to all men.” Titus 2:11*
- Grace **from** God and peace **with** God are now available to _____ mankind.

Second, because Christ _____ Himself for us. vs. 4

- *“For when we were yet without strength, in due time Christ died for the ungodly... But God commendeth his love toward us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us.” Romans 5:6, 8*

- *“Therefore being justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ.”* **Romans 5:1**
- *“And, having made peace through the blood of his cross, by him to reconcile all things unto himself; by him, I say, whether they be things in earth, or things in heaven.”*
Colossians 1:20

- When we talk about missions, it is crucial that we understand the _____.
- *“To open their eyes, and to turn them from darkness to light, and from the power of Satan unto God, that they may receive forgiveness of sins, and inheritance among them which are sanctified by faith that is in me.”* **Acts 26:18**
- Paul’s methodology—win souls, train nationals, establish leadership in local churches, _____ on.
- You then have a lighthouse in that area for Christ for generations to come.