

## THE ANTIDOTE FOR APATHY Acts 18:18-19:10

**Big Idea:** *Disciples grow through God's Word, by God's Spirit, with God's people, while living on God's mission.*

### 1. Disciple-makers prioritize \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ followers of Jesus.

"When he had landed at Caesarea, he went up and greeted the church, and went down to Antioch. <sup>23</sup> And having spent some time there, he left and passed successively through the Galatian region and Phrygia, strengthening all the disciples."

Matthew 28:18-20 "And Jesus came up and spoke to them, saying, 'All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth. <sup>19</sup> Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, <sup>20</sup> teaching them to observe all that I commanded you.'"

### 2. Disciple-makers help the church \_\_\_\_\_ as they continue to \_\_\_\_\_ .

"And he began to speak out boldly in the synagogue. But when Priscilla and Aquila heard him, they took him aside and explained to him the way of God more accurately. <sup>27</sup> And when he had arrived, he greatly helped those who had believed through grace."

1 Timothy 4:15-16 "Take pains with these things; be absorbed in them, so that your progress will be evident to all. <sup>16</sup> Pay close attention to yourself and to your teaching; persevere in these things."

### 3. Disciples who \_\_\_\_\_ the gospel \_\_\_\_\_ the Holy Spirit.

"When they heard this, they were baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus. <sup>6</sup> And when Paul had laid his hands upon them, the Holy Spirit came on them, and they began speaking with tongues and prophesying. <sup>7</sup> There were in all about twelve men."

Ephesians 1:13 "In Him, you also, after listening to the message of truth, the gospel of your salvation—having also believed, you were sealed in Him with the Holy Spirit of promise."

2 Corinthians 3:18 "But we all, with unveiled face, beholding as in a mirror the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from glory to glory, just as from the Lord, the Spirit."

### 4. Disciples need \_\_\_\_\_ in the Word to \_\_\_\_\_ with the world.

"He withdrew from them and took away the disciples, reasoning daily in the school of Tyrannus. <sup>10</sup> This took place for two years, so that all who lived in Asia heard the word of the Lord, both Jews and Greeks."

Ephesians 4:11-12 "And He gave some as apostles, and some as prophets, and some as evangelists, and some as pastors and teachers, <sup>12</sup> for the equipping of the saints for the work of service, to the building up of the body of Christ."

2 Corinthians 2:14 "But thanks be to God, who always leads us in triumph in Christ, and manifests through us the sweet aroma of the knowledge of Him in every place."