

You are Sent
Kingdom Builders
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On the evening of that day, the first day of the week, the doors being locked where the disciples were for fear of the Jews,^[c] Jesus came and stood among them and said to them, "Peace be with you."²⁰ When he had said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples were glad when they saw the Lord.²¹ Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, even so I am sending you." John 20:19-21 (ESV)

"But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth." Acts 1:8

"Follow me, and I WILL MAKE YOU a fisher of men." Matthew 4:19

"...I have chosen you and appointed you that you should go and bring forth fruit." John 15:16

1. SENT people recognize both God's role and their role in the Great Commission.

- ✓ God is always at work around us, drawing people to himself.
- ✓ God uses people to lead others to Jesus.
- ✓ God continually invites us into his saving work.

2. SENT people have a rich "theology of place".

. And he made from one man every nation of mankind to live on all the face of the earth, having determined allotted periods and the boundaries of their dwelling place,²⁷ that they should seek God, and perhaps feel their way toward him and find him. Yet he is actually not far from each one of us, Acts 17:26-27 (ESV)

- Farmers
- Fisherman

3. SENT people start with prayer.

4. SENT people listen for the Holy Spirit.

*And when he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them,
“Receive the Holy Spirit. John 20:23 (ESV)*

5. 5. SENT people see all of life as a platform of service.

2023 World Mission Trips

- Annual MAPS Trip CUBA – May 18-25
- Alabama Women’s Mission Trip – Costa Rica – June 20-27
 - Alabama Youth trip – Honduras – May 29 – June 6