

THE MISSION

What is the mission of the church?

Luke 24:44-53

Last day on earth...

1. Jesus fulfils ALL of Scripture (v44)

2. The Apostles' mission is to proclaim the gospel (v45-48)

- Repentance and forgiveness
- To all nations
- In Jesus' name
- Because they are witnesses

3. Jesus' departure brings joy (v49-53)

Bible verses:

Deuteronomy 18:18

I will raise up for them a prophet like you from among their brothers. And I will put my words in his mouth, and he shall speak to them all that I command him.

Isaiah 49:6

"It is too light a thing that you should be my servant to raise up the tribes of Jacob and to bring back the preserved of Israel; I will make you as a light for the nations, that my salvation may reach to the end of the earth."

Isaiah 53:5

But he was pierced for our transgressions; he was crushed for our iniquities; upon him was the chastisement that brought us peace, and with his wounds we are healed.

Psalm 1:1

Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the wicked...

Psalm 16:10

For you will not abandon my soul to Sheol, or let your holy one see corruption.

Psalm 23:1-3

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. ²He makes me lie down in green pastures. He leads me beside still waters. ³He restores my soul. He leads me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake.