

6. The focus of the Great Commission is to go and make disciples.
 - a) What is a disciple? What should mark a true disciple of Jesus Christ? (Luke 6:40, 14:25-33; John 13:34-35, 14:15; Matt. 28:20a)

 - b) Authors Colin Marshall and Tony Payne wrote: “To become a learner requires a repudiation – a radical unlearning – of our former rebellious way of life. It means being forgiven for the offense that our life has been before God and submitting ourselves to a divine Teacher who speaks the very words of the Father.” In what ways does this quote and your answer in a) above challenge you?

7. When disciples are made, they are to be baptized (v. 19b). What does baptism signify (picture) (Rom. 6:3-6)? What does it communicate to those observing their baptism?

8. Jesus makes a promise of His own: “And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age” (v. 20b). How does this fulfill the Old Testament promise of Immanuel? (Isa. 7:14, Matt. 1:23) How is this promise an encouragement to you?

9. What principles or thoughts had the most impact on you from the message preached on this passage on Sunday, Sept. 30th? How were you specifically challenged? What points of application did you take away from the message?

10. PRAY IN THE GROUP: Pray for Cornerstone Community Church, that we would all boldly participate in the fulfillment of this Great Commission! Pray that each one of us would become growing and repudiating disciples of Jesus Christ ourselves, and that we would effectively train up more and more faithful disciples of Jesus Christ.