

## Community - Developing a Kingdom Vision

Acts 1:1-8

Introduction information Vss.1-2

### The Dictionary Definition of Community -

Old Thinking Vs. 6

The Commission Vss. 7 - 8

The command:

- Who will do it?
- How will we do it?
- What will we do?
- To whom do we go?

### Application

- Focus on the \_\_\_\_\_ -
- Focus on the \_\_\_\_\_ -
- Focus on \_\_\_\_\_ -
- Focus on outside \_\_\_\_\_ -

### Think of the Lord's words. . .

*Do you not say, 'Four months more and then the harvest'? I tell you, open your eyes and look at the fields! They are ripe for harvest. John 4:35*

### Questions for Discussion

- In this age of instantaneous communication with the world growing smaller, how do we contact and communicate with one another?
- Looking at the definition of community: **The Dictionary Definition of Community** - How does our church exhibit or fall short?
  - A group of people living in the same place or having a particular characteristic in common.
  - A feeling of fellowship with others, as a result of sharing common attitudes, interests, and goals
  - A group of interdependent organisms of different species growing or living together in a common habitat
- Think of John F. Kennedy's words. . . have we become a more me focused generation? If so, how did this happen? How can we turn it back to being a part of a community?
- Have you been involved with outreach (i.e. Evangelism, missions, STM's)? How has this helped you in your personal, familial and even church focus of community?