## Multiply: Growing in God's family Acts 11:19-30

What kind of ministry does God use to turn new converts into committed Christians?

To turn new converts into committed Christians, God uses ministries that focus on...

- I. All-inclusive evangelism Acts 11:19-21
  - a. The gospel to the ends of the earth- Context- Antioch of Syria
  - b. The words and works of God.
- II. Life-transforming discipleship Acts 11:22-26.
  - a. A new lifestyle.
  - b. A new name.
- III. Spirit-led, strategic, legacy building generosity Acts 11:27-30.

True commitment is not measured just by the things we give
But by the things to which we give ourselves
Our Cristian name reveals our identity as Christ's own

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- 1. What kind of commitment will it take for DFBC to become a church for all nations and all generations? Are there barriers that the believers in Acts 11 had to overcome that are similar to our own in relating the gospel to people in our context?
- 2. Are you someone the Lord is preparing to raise the next generation of disciplemakers? If God where to bring 100 new believers to DFBC, would you be one God would use to reach one? It will take leadership fully committed to Christ to care for the harvest of souls that God wants to raise. Pray about becoming one like Barnabas and Soul called to give not just receive.
- 3. What is DFBC known in our city for? When people refer to us and the life of our members, is our commitment to Christ that comes to mind or something else? Could DFBC be known primarily as a church that invites all people to join Jesus Christ?