Made for a Mission

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Jesus: "In the same way that you gave Me a mission in the world, I give them a mission in the world." John 17:18 (MSG)

As the Father has sent Me, I am sending you. John 20:21 (NIV)

MY 6th PURPOSE IS TO _____

The local church is God's _____ on earth.

Mt 16:18 / Acts 1:8 / Acts 13:2-3

1. Missional churches make _____ a top priority.

God put his love on the line for us by offering his Son in sacrificial death while we were of no use whatever to him. Romans 5:8 (MSG)

I do everything I can to win everyone I possibly can. 1 Co 9:22b (CEV)

The most important thing is that I complete my mission, the work that the Lord Jesus gave me - to tell people the Good News about God's grace. Acts 20:24 (NCV)

2. Missional churches put their _____ where their _____ is.

The Shrewd Manager: Luke 16:1-5

D _____

R _____

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M _____

PRINCIPLE

Great _____ demand great _____.

[Jesus] was willing to die a shameful death on the cross because of the joy he knew would be his afterward. Heb 12:2 (NLT)

3. Missional churches know the danger of _____.

"I know your deeds, that you are neither cold nor hot. I wish you were either one or the other! So, because you are lukewarm—neither hot nor cold—I am about to spit you out of my mouth." (Revelation 3:15–16, NIV)

PRINCIPLE

Churches that stop _____ start _____.

But these things I plan won't happen right away. Slowly, steadily, surely, the time approaches when the [dream] will be fulfilled. If it seems slow, do not despair, for these things will surely come to pass. Just be patient! They will not be overdue a single day!
Hab 2:3 (The Living Bible)

ACTION

D.R.E.A.M. OFFERING NEXT WEEK