



# Pacific Pointe Church

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- 2. What has God called us to do?***
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9 The Lord is not slow in keeping his promise, as some understand slowness. He is patient with you, not wanting anyone to perish, *but everyone to come to repentance.*

-2 Peter 3:9



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## ***Why does the Gospel Matter?***

1 Now I would remind you, brothers, of the gospel I preached to you, which you received, in which you stand, 2 and by which you are being saved, if you hold fast to the word I preached to you--unless you believed in vain. 3 For I delivered to you as of first importance what I also received: that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the Scriptures, 4 that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures... -1Corinthians 15:1-5

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## ***My marriage, Kids, & Others...***

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## ***MY CIRCLE***

The Place where I live, play, work, eat, and go to Church.

*My Circle is the place where God allows me to give Every, Man, Woman, and Child the repeated opportunity to see, hear and respond to the Gospel of Jesus Christ without having to come or go anywhere.*

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**WE are going to ask one Question:**

*Are you convinced that The Gospel is the only  
Hope for every man, woman, and child?*



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***What is the  
Gospel?***



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**At the very Center of Biblical Theology is the Gospel!**

Its not a feeling we have.

Its not, “I want Jesus as my friend.”

The gospel is the good news that tells us the truth about God.

The Gospel is the *only way* people are reconciled to God .

The Gospel is the motivation for our obedience.

The Gospel is what enables us to come into the presence of a Holy God.

The Gospel is what enables us to Worship God.

Through the Gospel God accepts us.

The Gospel is central the lives of Christians and the Church.

The Gospel is the story, an accounting of the great news of what God has done.

The Gospel is all about Him.

The Gospel is about a Holy and loving God who gave everything to us.

The Gospel gives me the freedom to live for Him, not for me.

The Gospel is the center of our joy.





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## ***The Gospel is, the Good News!***

“The Gospel is God interrupting me on my way to hell, and rescuing me.” -anonymous

Pacific Pointe Church, The Church is a group of people gathered around this truth!



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***So...What's the problem?***

We have a bad theology on  
Heaven, Hell, the Depravity of man, and  
God!



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# *#1 Problem?*

*“The Heart of Man.”*

*We don't Believe we are as bad as the Bible says!*

"There is no one righteous, not even one; there is no one who understands, no one who seeks God. All have turned away, they have together become worthless; there is no one who does good, not even one."



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## *#2 Problem?*

*We don't believe God is as good as the bible says He is!*

Praise the LORD, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits-- **3** who forgives all your sins and heals all your diseases, **4** who redeems your life from the pit and crowns you with love and compassion, **5** who satisfies your desires with good things so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's. **6** The LORD works righteousness and justice for all the oppressed. **7** He made known his ways to Moses, his deeds to the people of Israel: **8** The LORD is compassionate and gracious, slow to anger, abounding in love. **9** He will not always accuse, nor will he harbor his anger forever; **10** he does not treat us as our sins deserve or repay us according to our iniquities. **11** For as high as the heavens are above the earth, so great is his love for those who fear him; **12** as far as the east is from the west, so far has he removed our transgressions from us. **13** As a father has compassion on his children, so the LORD has compassion on those who fear him;

-Psalm 103:1-13



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## **Attributes of a O.C. Christian**

Strength

Pride

Success

Pleasure

Popularity

Conquering hero



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## **Why the Gospel is unique?**

Strength > Weakness (like a lamb...)

Pride > Humility (made himself nothing...)

Success > Failure (we esteemed him not!...)

Pleasure > Suffering (pierced for our transgressions)

Popularity > Rejection (rejected and despised by  
men...)



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## ***The Gospel!***

For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God.  
-Romans 3:23

For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord. -Romans 6:23

But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us. -Romans 5:8

That if you confess with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. -Romans 10:9