



HAPPY 2019!

**WHAT ARE YOUR
PLANS FOR THE
NORTHSIDE CHURCH?**

THIS IS OUR WORK HERE AT NORTHSIDE!



- **How do you fit in?**
- **Where is your place in this congregation?**
- **Will you be the 5 talent man, the two talent man or the 1 talent man who was considered unprofitable?**

DO YOU WANT A CHANGE AT NORTHSIDE?



- **Let the change begin with and in you! James 1:22**
- **Do you want the church here to grow? Eph. 4:15**
- **Do you feel responsible in doing your part? 1 Cor. 12:21-22**

JESUS SHOWS THE NATURE OF THE KINGDOM



- **“Then said he, Unto what is the kingdom of God like? And where unto shall I resemble it? It is like a grain of mustard seed, which a man took and cast into his garden; and it grew and waxed a great tree; and the fowls of the air lodged in the branches of it.” Lk. 13:18-19**



GROWTH IS THE NATURE OF THE CHURCH



- **“...And the same day there were added unto them about three thousand souls.” Acts 2:41b**
- **“...and the number of the men was about five thousand.” Acts 4:4b**
- **“And the believers were the more added to the Lord, multitudes both of men and women.” Acts 5:14**

OUR PLANS FOR 2019



**# 1 – GROW THE
CHURCH!**

HOW?

BY THE EFFORTS OF EACH MEMBER!



- **“Therefore they that were scattered abroad went everywhere preaching the Word.” Acts 8:4**
- **“Now they which were scattered abroad upon the persecution that arose about Stephen traveled as far as Phoenicia and Cyprus and Antioch, preaching the Word...” Acts 11:19a**

BY THE EFFORTS OF EACH MEMBER



- **“From whom the whole body fitly joined together and compacted by that which every joint supplieth, according to the effectual working in the measure of every part, maketh increase of the body unto the edifying of itself in love.”
Eph. 4:16**

CHURCHES PAUL COMMENDED



- **“We give thanks to God always for you, making mention of you in our prayers; remembering without ceasing your work of faith...” 1 Thess. 1:2-3a**

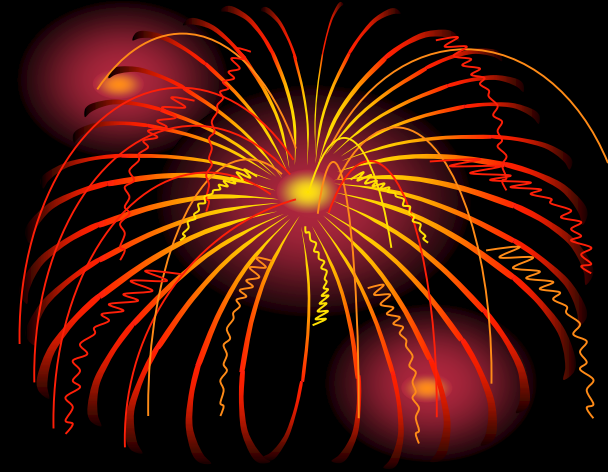
CHURCH IN PHILIPPI



- **“Always in every prayer of mine for you all making request with joy, for your fellowship in the Gospel...”
“Wherefore, my beloved , as ye have always obeyed...” Phil. 1:4-5; 2:12a**



OUR PLANS FOR 2019



- **# 2 BUILD UP THE CHURCH**

- **HOW?**

BY EACH MEMBER BEING FAITHFUL



- **“Wherefore comfort yourselves together and edify one another, even as also ye do.” 1 Thess. 5:11**
- **“Let us hold fast the profession of faith without wavering: (for he is faithful that promised;) And let us consider one another to provoke unto love and to good works.” Heb. 10:23-25**

HOW?



- **Loving one another – 1 Pet. 1:22
1 John 4:21**
- **Serving each other – Phil 2:3**
- **Talking to each other about offenses – Mt. 18:15**
- **Forgetting the past – Phil. 3:13**
- **Attending services & doing our part – Heb. 10:25**

WHAT IS YOUR ATTITUDE TOWARD OUR WORK?



POSITIVE OR NEGATIVE?

- **We have been blessed with a preacher**
- **We have good Bible classes & teachers**
- **We should grow in numbers & in strength!**

BEGIN THIS YEAR BY BEING A CHRISTIAN – A FAITHFUL CHRISTIAN!



- **“...see here is water; what doth hinder me to be baptized?” “And now why tarriest thou? Arise and be baptized and wash away thy sins, calling on the name of the Lord.” Acts 8:36b; 22:16**