

## Preparation for the PRAYER STORM

#### What Made The Early Church Great?

1. They were concerned about one thing...

Leading someone else to Jesus

Matt 6:34 Take therefore no thought for the morrow: for the morrow shall take thought for the things of itself. Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof;

- 2. They had one solution to every problem
- Acts 4:24 And when they heard that, they lifted up their voice to God with one accord, and said, Lord, thou art God, which hast made heaven, and earth, and the sea, and all that in them is:

 When the Sanhedrin arrested Peter and John and threatened them with death, and they came back and reported it to the church, "they lifted up their voice to God with one accord."

Acts 12:5- Peter therefore was kept in prison: but prayer was made without ceasing of the church unto God for him.

# Every problem that the Church faced, they took it to GOD in PRAYER!

### • 3. THEY DEPENDED ON ONE SOURCE OF POWER

 They didn't depend on machinery and organization but they sought the mind and power of the Holy Spirit.

• Luke 24:49 And, behold, I send the promise of my Father upon you: but tarry ye in the city of Jerusalem, until ye be endued with power from on high.

- 4. THEY HAD ONE MESSAGE
- They preached JESUS!
- I Cor 2:2- For I determined not to know any thing among you, save Jesus Christ, and him crucified.

#### • 5. JESUS WAS REAL TO THEM

I John 1:1- That which was from the beginning, which we have heard, which we have seen with our eyes, which we have looked upon, and our hands have handled, of the Word of life;

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