

Practice!

“Engage Missionally”

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Talk It Over

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week 5

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I. _____ attenders come to
church to _____

II. _____ followers look for ways to

III. Our _____ demands it

SMALL TALK

1. Have you ever been disengaged from your place of employment? What was the result?

VIEWPOINT

2. **READ Matthew 5:13-16.** If we are salt, what makes sense and what makes no sense at all? If we are light, what makes sense, and what makes no sense at all?
3. In this passage, what is the foolishness of concealed light? What is the faithfulness of courageous light? What is the forcefulness of collective light?
4. How is our being salt and light based on what Jesus taught in the “beatitudes” 5:3-10? How is this related to his Kingdom mission?

GETTING PERSONAL

5. We live in a world of decay and darkness; based on the first 4 practices, is the state of practice 5 in your life like a 300-watt bulb? 100-watt? A night-light? Why? How can Jesus enable you to shine brighter?
6. Jim talked about $1+2+3+4 = 5$ being “good math”, what does this mean? Which part of this equation do you need to give attention to most?

MAKING PROGRESS

7. Practice these 5 life practices that fuel a thriving and contagious faith in Jesus:
 1. Devote Daily
 2. Pursue Relationally
 3. Guide Biblically
 4. Live Authentically
 5. Engage Missionally

Circle the one that needs your intentional practice this week, and brainstorm what you will do to make it your practice.