

Mission Possible Luke 4:18-19

Discover your purpose and accomplish your God given mission.

Many people are longing to make a contribution in life but do not know how; some do not believe that it is at all possible. We would like to invite you on this journey of discovering your purpose and assist you in accomplishing your mission.

We all have a Purpose, a Calling and a Mission that the Creator has for us!

Oleg's Testimony: A Story of God's Calling to Missions

Many people struggle with defining their own Purpose, Calling, Mission. Why?

There are many internal reasons why people hesitate to go on Mission:

- Myth #1 - I am not called or gifted enough to be involved in missions.
- Myth #2 - I am not spiritually ready or formally trained to be eligible for missions.
- Myth #3- I am not rich, famous, or powerful enough to be able to make a difference.
- You can add to this list of myths after searching your own heart.

The main question is: Am I willing to re-evaluate my views on missions?

- Am I ready to believe that I am called to make something of significance?
("significance it's all about others" - John Maxwell)
- Am I ready to make little but specific steps toward living intentionally ("Start small but think big" - John Maxwell)?
- Am I ready to discover and join Jesus in His specific vision and Mission that is so clearly revealed in Luke 4:18-19?

God's mission in my life is possible! Follow God's example in Global Missions! John 3:16

- Acknowledge the fact that God has a calling and a mission for every person.
- Your missions can be geographically specific. (Jerusalem - Ends of the World)
- God's call and strategy is well explained in the Great Commission. Matthew 28:18-19
- God's tools for you are available - Good News of the Gospel.
 - Missions it is all about being intentional about making the difference in the life of the one or many.
 - Missions is an awesome expression of our love for God and love for people.
 - Missions is possible because you are not alone in it: "Just join Jesus in His mission, all power was given to Him and He will never leave us or forsake us." Just get out of the boat/comfort zone and walk with Him on the water, and you will see how He multiplies loaves of breads and fishes, how the spiritually and physically sick are healed and how the dominions of darkness go down. This will inspire you and transform you!

Live an intentional life for Jesus that will glorify and please God locally and internationally.

Just trust in God's call for you and join Him in accomplishing His mission in your life.

Steps to a make Mission Possible: Pray - Give - Go!

LifeGroup Discussion:

1. Share some of your feelings about the state of the world right now. What are you most fearful or worried about?
2. Read John 16:33 out loud three times. How does this word from Jesus encourage you in the midst of your fears and worries?
3. What was your take-away from Oleg's message about what God is doing in Moldova and beyond?
(Review sermon outline to jog your memory)
4. What specific role is God calling you to have in His plan and love for the world?

Next Steps:

1. Take the next five days and set aside time each day to pray for our world and your specific calling and God-given role in it.
2. Commit to becoming a financial contributor to Faith Promise, which funds Calvary Church's Global Reach program. Use the Faith Promise card in today's bulletin, or learn more at calvarylife.org/faithpromise
3. Check out these new classes available this month:
 - **ADOPTION 'PARENTING CLASS'** : *October 1, 8, 15, 22, 29* · 9:00 am · *Fireside Room*
Explore what the Bible has to say about adoption and God's love for the orphan and discover what your unique calling and role will be in caring for the orphan. Learn more at calvarylife.org/parenting
 - **STORIES OF CHANGE** : *October 4, 11, 18, 25* · 7:00 pm · *Fellowship Hall*
Around the world, and in our own neighborhoods, God is drawing people into relationship. This coming Wednesday night, October 11, Jim Domen, a longtime friend of Calvary Church, will share his incredible story of once being active in the gay lifestyle and then becoming a Christian, a pastor, a husband to his wife Amanda and a dad. Come back the following weeks too to hear firsthand stories of those who have walked away from other religions into the arms of a loving God. Be inspired to pray for those who have yet to meet God.
 - **DISCOVER JESUS TOGETHER** : *October 4, 11, 18, 25* · *November 1, 8, 15, 29* · 7:00 pm · *S-5*
Discover how to love and live like Jesus through round-table mentoring and weekly discussion. If you are a new follower of Jesus or want to be better grounded in the basics of Christianity, join us! Workbook Cost: \$12.
 - **NAVIGATING YOUR FINANCES** : *October 4, 11, 18, 25* · *November 1, 8, 15, 29* · *December 6* · 7:00 pm · *W-209*
The Bible has over 2000 verses about money! Take an in-depth look at what It says about work, saving, debt, giving, investing and training our children. Apply what you learn through weekly exercises. Materials Cost: Ind. \$40/ Couple \$50.