

WE ARE

DISCUSSION GUIDE

PART 4: Moved to Action

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START

When Jesus changes our life from the inside out, we are moved to share our story with everyone we come in contact with. The Church, designed by God, was always intended to be missional.

- How has Jesus changed your life?
- How has your encounter with Jesus moved you to share with others?
- How can you continue to be missional in your circles of influence?

READ

[Revelation 3:1-2](#) (NIV)

“To the angel of the church in Sardis write: These are the words of him who holds the seven spirits of God and the seven stars. I know your deeds; you have a reputation of being alive, but you are dead. Wake up! Strengthen what remains and is about to die, for I have found your deeds unfinished in the sight of my God.”

THINK

Both the churches in Sardis and Laodicea had reputations. Sardis was full of old money and beautiful graveyards. Laodicea was rich, but had horrible water. Jesus calls attention to what was around them and encourages them to be moved by what they have been taught through the gospel. The account of what Jesus has done for them.

- What is the state of your spiritual life, in reality not your reputation?
- How can you make sure you don't settle into a lukewarm faith?

Chris mentions three statements he often hears in opposition to the church. “I don't like big churches”; “I need a church that feeds me”; and “my faith is private”.

- Why shouldn't we be opposed to big churches?
- What are you doing to feed yourself and contribute back to the church?
- Why is our faith never a private matter?

PRAY

“God, move me to action because of what you have done for me. Allow the story of what you have done in my life to encourage and challenge others that I encounter.”

ACT

This week, take a step and allow what God has done in your life to move you to action. Start inviting people you know to Fall Kickoff on September 25th.

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