

A Dangerous Church #5

- Dangerous mission: A great commitment to the great commandment and the great commission. (or...)**
- To lead people to become fully devoted followers of Christ.**
- Plan (Bring them in, Build them up, Train them for ministry, Send them out).**

Luke 14:26-28 TLB

26 "Anyone who wants to be my follower must love me far more than he does his own father, mother, wife, children, brothers, or sisters-yes, more than his own life-otherwise he cannot be my disciple. 27 And no one can be my disciple who does not carry his own cross and follow me. 28 "But don't begin until you count the cost. For who would begin construction of a building without first getting estimates and then checking to see if he has enough money to pay the bills?

Luke 14:33 NLT

33 So no one can become my disciple without giving up everything for me.

A Dangerous church is committed to making Disciples

Luke 5:4-8 NKJV

4 When He had stopped speaking, He said to Simon, "Launch out into the deep and let down your nets for a catch." 5 But Simon answered and said to Him, "Master, we have toiled all night and caught nothing; nevertheless at Your word I will let down the net." 6 And when they had done this, they caught a great number of fish, and their net was breaking. 7 So they signaled to their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both the boats, so that they began to sink. 8 When Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus' knees, saying, "Depart from me, for I am a sinful man, O Lord!"

Disciples go fishing...

A disciple makes disciples...

How do we disciple?

Loving people where they are, pointing them to the truth, all at the same time.

How do we fish?

Unquestioning obedience

Absolute abandonment

John 14:12 NIV

12 I tell you the truth, anyone who has faith in me will do what I have been doing. He will do even greater things than these, because I am going to the Father.