

1. God's plan, purpose and empowering

Luke 19:10

Luke 24: 45-49

John 15:26-27

John 20:21-22

Acts 1:8

Acts 2:4

2. New birth, God's Word and faith

John 3:5-8 and Titus 3:4-6 cf. 1 Peter 1:23-25 and James 1:18

Eph 1:13

Col 1:3-8

1 Cor 1:18-25

Rom 1:16

Acts 2:21 c.f. Acts 4:12 cf. Rom 10:12-17

3. Evangelists, evangelism and testimony

Eph 4:11-12

Acts 8:4 cf. Acts 21:8 and Acts 8:5, 12 and Acts 11:19-20

John 1:43-46 and John 4:28-30

1 Peter 3:15-16

(c.f. pastor-teachers and teaching one another, Col 3:16)

4. The witness of the life of the church

John 13:34-35

Acts 2:42-47

Eph 3:10

Titus 2:9-10

1 Peter 2:12

5. God's sovereignty in salvation

Acts 11:18

Acts 13:48

Acts 16:14

Acts 18:10

1 Thess 1:4-5

1 Tim 1:13-16

6. Prayer

Matthew 9:37-38

Acts 4:23-30

Eph 6:19

Col 4:2-4

1 Tim 2:1-4

7. Persecution and being unashamed

Matt 5:11-12

John 15:18-21

1 Thess 1:6

1 Thess 1:2

2 Tim 1:8

8. Reality of the last judgment, heaven and hell

Matthew 13: 47- 50

Acts 10:42; 17:30-31

Rom 2:5

1 Thess 5:1-2

Heb 9:27-28

Rev 20:11-14