

How to Grow a Church with Vision Acts 2:42-47



discipleship

1.Churches grow WARMER through fellowship (connection). (2:46)



worship

“Every day they devoted themselves to meeting together in the temple complex, and broke bread from house to house. They ate their food with a joyful and humble attitude,” (Acts 2:46, HCSB)



mission

2.Churches grow DEEPER through discipleship (growth). (2:42)



fellowship

“And they devoted themselves to the apostles’ teaching, to the fellowship, to the breaking of bread, and to the prayers.” (Acts 2:42, HCSB)



ministry

3.Churches grow STRONGER through worship. (2:46-47)

“Every day they devoted themselves to meeting together in the temple complex, and broke bread from house to house. They ate their food with a joyful and humble attitude, praising God and having favor with all the people. And every day the Lord added to them those who were being saved.” (Acts 2:46–47, HCSB)

4.Churches grow BROADER through ministry (service). (2:45)

“They sold their possessions and property and distributed the proceeds to all, as anyone had a need.” (Acts 2:45, HCSB)

5.Churches grow LARGER through evangelism (sharing) (2:43-44, 47)

“Then fear came over everyone, and many wonders and signs were being performed through the apostles. Now all the believers were together and held all things in common.” (Acts 2:43–44, HCSB)

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