

#1 The Gospel-Driven Church

The glorious Gospel of Jesus Christ MUST remain front and center in the life of the church!

1 Corinthians 15:1 Now I would remind you, brothers, of <u>the gospel</u> I preached to you, which you received, in which you stand, ² and by which you are being saved, if you hold fast to the word I preached to you— unless you believed in vain. ³ For I delivered to you **as of first importance** what I also received: that Christ died for our sins in accordance with the Scriptures, ⁴ that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures.

WHAT DRIVES THE CHURCH?

- 1. Churches can be driven by a variety of things
- 2. New Life is seeking to become a "Gospel-Driven Church"
- 3. The Gospel is the message of Jesus and His saving work on the cross, sealed by His empty tomb
- 4. The Gospel is the 'Third Way'
- 5. Both non-Christians and Christians need to hear the Gospel
- 6. When Jesus and His Gospel are at the center, a beautiful community will be formed

JESUS. FRONT AND CENTER. ALL THE TIME.

BIBLE READING PLAN Sunday: Esther 5 Monday: Esther 6 Triday: Esther 10 Tuesday: Esther 7 Wednesday: Esther 8 Saturday: Obadiah 1 Sunday: Daniel 1