

FROM THE CENTER FOR EVANGELIZATION

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GO AND MAKE DISCIPLES TELLS US:

Evangelization happens when the word of Jesus speaks to peoples' hearts and minds. Needing no trickery or manipulation, evangelization can happen only when people accept the Gospel freely, as the 'good news' it is meant to be, because of the power of the gospel message and the accompanying grace of God.

Our message of faith proclaims an eternally faithful God, creating all in love and sustaining all with gracious care. We proclaim that God, whose love is unconditional, offers us divine life even in the face of our sin, failures, and inadequacies. We believe in a God who became one of us in Jesus, God's Son, whose death and resurrection bring us salvation. We believe that the risen Christ sends his own Spirit upon us when we respond to him in faith and repentance, making us this people, the church, and giving us the power of new life and guiding us to our eternal destiny.

