



**Sermon Outline**  
**September 13-14, 2025**  
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## **More Matters**

**\* Sometimes less is \_\_\_\_\_.**

**Solomon promoted a minimalist's philosophy.**

**Ecclesiastes 2:11** - Yet when I surveyed all that my hands had done and what I had toiled to achieve, everything was meaningless, a chasing after the wind; nothing was gained under the sun.

**The Apostle Paul endorsed a minimalist's philosophy.**

**1 Timothy 6:7-8** - For we brought nothing into the world, and we can take nothing out of it. But if we have food and clothing, we will be content with that.

**\* Sometimes less is just \_\_\_\_\_.**

**Luke 14:23** - "Then the master told his servant, 'Go out to the roads and country lanes and compel them to come in, **so that my house will be full.**'"

**\* Why more matters in this case:**

**Matthew 28:19** - Therefore go and make disciples of **all nations**, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

*\* The church is one of the few organizations that exist primarily for those who are \_\_\_\_\_ a part of it.*

**1. It Mattered for \_\_\_\_\_.**

*\* We didn't get here on our own — someone cared enough to invite, welcome, and create space for us.*

**Someone \_\_\_\_\_ for you.**

**2. It Matters to \_\_\_\_\_.**

**2 Thessalonians 1:8-9** - He will punish those who do not know God and do not obey the gospel of our Lord Jesus. They will be punished with everlasting destruction and shut out from the presence of the Lord and from the glory of his might.

**Romans 10:13-14** - "Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved." How, then, can they call on the one they have not believed in? And how can they believe in the one of whom they have not heard? And how can they hear without someone preaching to them?

***Everyone needs the opportunity  
to \_\_\_\_\_.***

**3. It Matters to \_\_\_\_\_.**

**John 3:16** - For God so loved the world that He gave His one and only Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish but have eternal life.

**Luke 15:7** - I tell you that in the same way there will be more rejoicing in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous persons who do not need to repent.

**1 Timothy 2:3-4** - This is good, and pleases God our Savior, who wants all people to be saved and to come to a knowledge of the truth.

**2 Peter 3:9** - The Lord is not slow in keeping his promise, as some understand slowness. Instead he is patient with you, not wanting anyone to perish, but everyone to come to repentance.

***God's heart is for \_\_\_\_\_ to be saved.***

**Revelation 3:20** - Here I am! I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears my voice and opens the door, I will come in and eat with that person, and they with me.