

Today's UNrecognizable Church



Acts 8:1

And Saul approved of his execution.

And there arose on that day a great persecution against the church in Jerusalem, and they were all scattered throughout the regions of Judea And Samaria, except the apostles.

Today's Church

1. Sanctuary



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2. Sunday

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GLCC Vision



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**An
ACTS Church
for today**



We dream of being like the
Acts 2 Church in the book of Acts.

They were a people:

1. **Centered on our Savior**
2. Filled with the **Spirit**
3. Rooted in the **Scripture**
4. Faithful in **Supplication**
5. Genuine in **Sacrifice**
6. **Effective in Soul-winning**
7. Joyful in **Suffering**

GLCC Mission

**Leading Generations into
a Life-changing Relationship
with Jesus Christ**



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**Leading Generations into
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with Jesus Christ by:**

**1. KNOWING
(Salvation)**

**2. GROWING
(Sanctification)**

**3. GOING
(Service)**

A photograph of a large, crowded lecture hall or seminar. In the foreground, a woman with glasses and a floral dress stands on the left, holding a green bottle. Next to her, a person in a light blue shirt and dark pants walks, carrying a yellow bag. In the center, a child is seated in a green stroller. To the right, another child is in a black stroller. The background is filled with many people seated at rows of desks, facing towards the front of the room. The word "PEOPLE!" is superimposed in large, bold, blue capital letters across the middle of the image.

PEOPLE!

YOU!

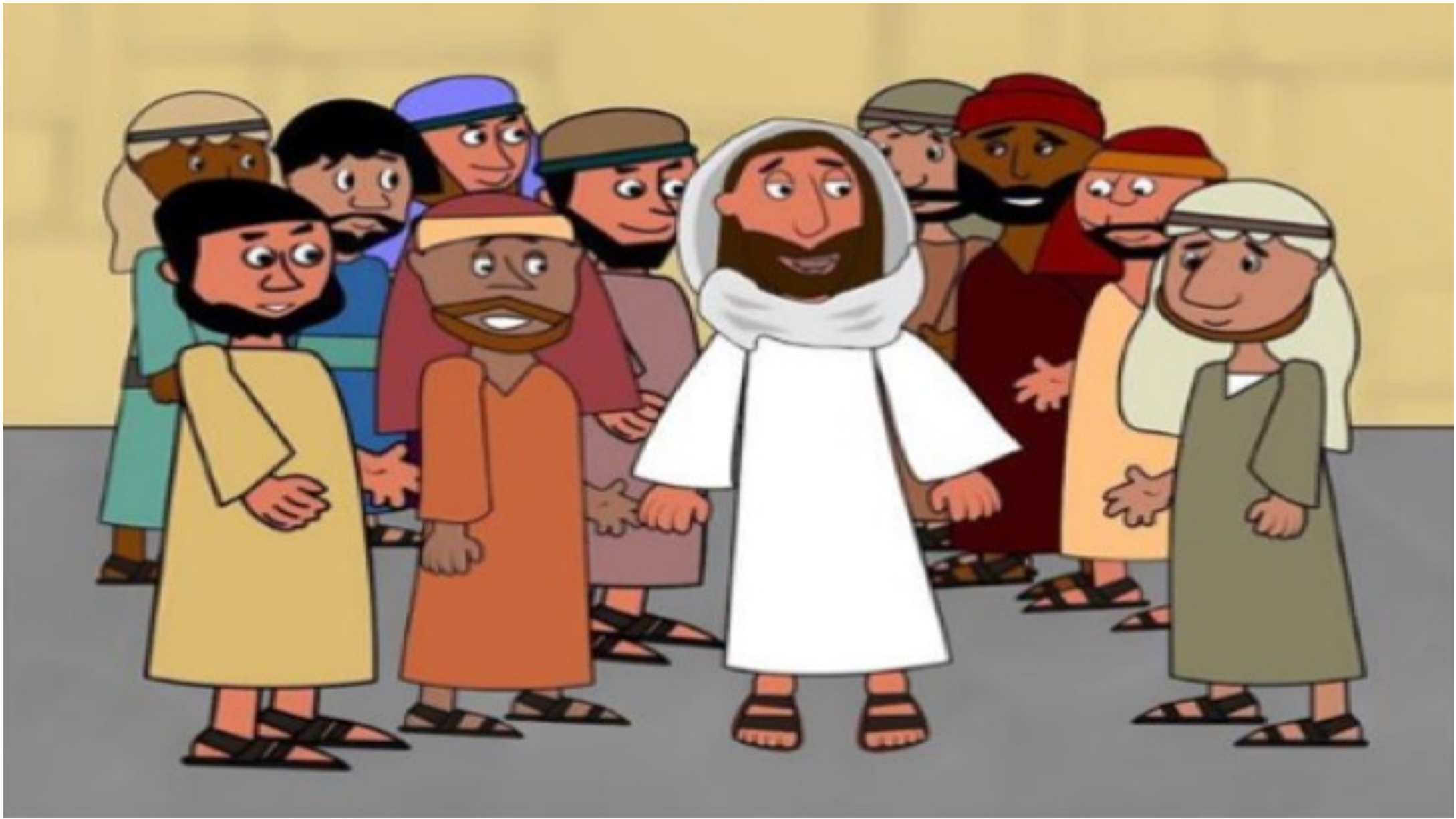




Exit

Ekklesia (Ek-klesia)

Called out (people)





Ephesians 4:11,12

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¹¹ And he gave the apostles,
the prophets,
the evangelists,
the shepherds and teachers,

¹² to equip the saints
for the work of ministry,
for building up the body of Christ,

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¹¹ And he gave some, apostles;
and some, prophets;
and some, evangelists;
and some, pastors and teachers;

¹² For the perfecting of the saints,
for the work of the ministry,
for the edifying of the body of Christ:



1 Corinthians 3:16

¹⁶ Do you not know that you are God's temple
and that God's Spirit dwells in you?



Matthew 28:18-20

¹⁸ And Jesus came and said to them,

“All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me.

¹⁹ Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit,

²⁰ teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you.
And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age.”



The image shows the interior of a large, modern church sanctuary. The space is filled with rows of grey upholstered seats, all facing towards the front. The architecture is contemporary, with a high ceiling featuring recessed lighting and geometric, angular wall panels. The overall atmosphere is quiet and empty. Overlaid on the center of the image is the text "SATAN'S TRAP?" in a large, bold, blue font.

SATAN'S TRAP?



GOD'S TRAINING CAMP!





A hand with the index finger pointing towards the right, set against a background of rows of empty, light-colored wooden church pews. The pews are arranged in a perspective that recedes into the distance. The lighting is soft and even.

A Church
is measured
by it's
sending
capacity

not
by it's
seating
capacity

+ If a church has
100 converts
a year,
after 30 years,
it will have
3,000 converts.

+ If a pastor
disciples 1 disciple-
making disciple,
after 30 years,
he will have
1,073,741,824
converts.