

*Valley Bible Church - Sermon Study Questions*

**Study Aid for the Sermon from October 5, 2008  
The Mission of the Church  
Romans 1:18-20**

**Observing the text**

Read Matthew 28:18-20 and make as many observations as possible.

What is the significance of Christ possessing all authority?

Describe the process of disciple making.

What is the significance of Christ's ongoing presence with those who are doing the work of disciple making?

**Applying the sermon**

When you see the mess that our world is in how do you find yourself responding?

How does the thinking and acting of the world stir you up to share the gospel?

Do you feel just as responsible for the ministry of baptizing and teaching as you do for the going?

What do you feel you need to do better in light of Christ's instructions to His disciples in Matthew 28:16-20?