



The Gospel, meaning good news, is about our identity in Christ; God at work in and through us as a result of being made right with God so that we can be in union with God.

1. Life in union with God is understanding that God saved us (Sozo: saved, healed, delivered, made whole) so that we could walk in that anointing, in Christ, so that everyone would be saved (sozo) by God working through us.
Romans 1:16-17
2. A righteous life in Christ is expressed in both the divine expression of eternity and in the current expression of living “in Christ”.
3. In the miracle feeding of the 5000, **Matthew 14:13-21**, we see that Jesus told the disciples to feed the people. This is the gospel at work; people come to be ministered to by God, and God wants to do that ministry through a people in union with Him.
4. In the miracle feeding of the 5000, **Matthew 14:13-21**, Jesus broke bread, not fish. Fish were multiplied as well as the bread was broken and distributed. This is picture of how Jesus was broken so that He would be distributed through a people in union with Him and in that distribution, fish (people) will be multiplied.
5. In the miracle feeding of the 5000, **Matthew 14:13-21**, the whole point was to meet the need of hunger so that the ministry didn’t have to stop. This is a call to be in such union with God that we never have to “Start and Stop” ministry, we just continue in it.
6. **Luke 1:39-41** – Mary was surrendered to the Word of the Lord and the hover of Holy Spirit; meaning she was in union with God and as she walked to Elizabeth, the environment was so thick in the presence of God through Mary’s union, that Elizabeth was filled with Holy Spirit. This is a picture of the potential in union with Christ, that environments shift and people would be affected by our union; that we are so with God that people experience the power of God through His presence in us.
7. A Gospel of Union is the good news of a life surrendered to God that carries with it the power of God at work inside of us so that Jesus would be known by everyone.