TITLE SLIDE:

The Good News Good News Communication

SLIDE 1:

Practicing What We Preach (Living The Good News Life):

- Living the life before we try to share it.
- The gospel is more than a message or an experience.
- The Bible, church, communion, baptism, and Christian songs are more than an education.
- We expose ourselves to Christian things so we will get a good news heart.
- Christianity changes our thought life which changes the way we live.
- Christianity brings miracles into our life and ministry.

SLIDE 2:

Not Ashamed:

Rom 1:16 <u>I am not ashamed of the gospel</u>, because it is the power of God for the salvation of everyone who believes

SLIDE 3:

Learning How To Steer Our Lives:

James 3:4 Or take ships as an example. Although they are so large and are driven by strong winds, they are steered by a very small rudder wherever the pilot wants to go.

SLIDE 4:

The Tongue Steering Wheel:

James 3:5 Likewise the tongue is a small part of the body, but it makes great boasts. Consider what a great forest is set on fire by a small spark.

SLIDE 5:

It Has Good or Bad Potential:

James 3:6 The tongue also is a fire, a world of evil among the parts of the body.

- 1. It corrupts the whole person,
- 2. sets the whole course of his life on fire,
- 3. and is itself set on fire by hell.

SLIDE 6:

Two Aspects To A Positive Word:

1. I can be anything I want to be – Positive But Not True.

Phil 4:13 (NKJV) I can do all things through Christ which strengthens me – Positive AND True.

2. All things are possible – Positive But Not Always True.

Mat 19:26 Jesus looked at them and said, "With man this is impossible, but with God all things are possible." – Positive AND True.

SLIDE 7:

Turning The Tongue Over To God:

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SLIDE 8:

Keeping Our Body In Check:

James 3:2 We all stumble in many ways. If anyone is never at fault <u>IN WHAT HE</u> <u>SAYS</u>, he is a perfect man, <u>able to keep his whole body in check</u>.

SLIDE 9:

Becoming A Peacemaker:

James 3:18 Peacemakers who sow in peace raise a harvest of righteousness.

SLIDE 10:

Now We Are Ready To Communicate The Good News:

Mark 16:15 He said to them, Go into all the world and preach [proclaim, speak] the good news to all creation.