

# HOW TO GET MORE FROM THE BEST DAY OF THE WEEK

## Is This Normal? – Part 2

Message Notes ~ November 18, 2007

### 1. The World Has Changed

“. . . I try to find common ground with everyone so that I might bring them to Christ.” 1 Corinthians 9.22 (New Living Translation)

- Organized religion is unappealing
- The Church is negative and judgmental

### 2. Life in the \_\_\_\_\_

“Father, I don’t ask you to take my followers out of the world, but keep them safe from the evil one.” John 17.15 (Contemporary English Version)

- The Jonah syndrome
- Christianese

### 3. What Can the Church Do?

“You are the salt of the earth. But if the salt loses its saltiness, how can it be made salty again? It is no longer good for anything, except to be thrown out and trampled by men. You are the light of the world. A city on a hill cannot be hidden. Neither do people light a lamp and put it under a bowl. Instead they put it on its stand, and it gives light to everyone in the house. In the same way, let your light shine before men, that they may see your good deeds and praise your Father in heaven.” Matthew 5.13-16 (NIV)

- Make sure that the only stumbling block to the Gospel is \_\_\_\_\_
- Do you miss Him?
- After the meeting