



Part 6: GO BIG.

GET GOING

When it comes to growing God's kingdom, we want to go big! We aren't content sitting and waiting. We're grateful for a great past but anticipate and dream about a big future. Tonight, we're going to spend time looking at our role in helping create a church that people love!

WATCH THIS

<https://vimeo.com/86147064>

DISCUSS

1. God has done some incredible things throughout our church in 2013. What's your top Parker Hill memory of 2013?
2. As you watched the highlights of God's work in and through Parker Hill in 2013, what was the most exciting thing that God has done in our church?

Read 2 Corinthians 5:17-21

3. Mark mentioned two pictures that represent what people do with their new life in Christ — a restaurant pager and a GPS. What's the danger of treating our new life like a restaurant pager?
4. We believe that found people find people. How can the imagery of a G.P.S keep us on target for living out our new God-given purpose?
5. Northeast Pennsylvania is one of the least biblically minded regions in the entire country. How has your Parker Hill experience helped you to engage with God and with His word?
6. What does living like an ambassador for God's kingdom look like for you personally? How should knowing that our lives represent Jesus to our world change the way we live?

NEXT

We're anticipating and praying for some great things for the coming year!

In 2014, we are praying for:

- **Continued Growth** - We want to see 20.14% growth in attendance. That's 475 new people!
 - **More Volunteers**- We've got a great work to do. We need 168 volunteers. With our upcoming schedule changes and service additions, we'll need people to lead the way in serving.
 - **Greater Generosity**- God has blessed us to do a ton of ministry because of people's faithful support. Imagine what can happen if we could be even more generous. Or, imagine if everyone who calls Parker Hill their church got off the bench and in the game by giving financially.
 - **More Declarations of Faith**- More than anything, we want to see more and more people find the way back to God and following Jesus step by step!
7. How can you partner with God and help make 2014 our best year yet? What next step do you need to take to make this vision a reality?

PRAY.

Tonight, spend some time praying for 2014.

- Ask God for 20.14% increase in growth- That's more people who are exposed to the Gospel.
- Pray that God would raise up an abundance of volunteers who will partner with us in helping people find the way back to God by creating a church that people love!
- Ask God to help our people excel in generosity so we can do even more good in our communities and shine God's light into this dark region.
- Pray for those individuals who don't yet know Jesus but will come to know Him this year because of the work of God's Spirit. Pray for those who will be reached through Parker Hill and pray for those who will be reached though other Bible believing churches in NEPA.