"i tell you, whoever publicly acknowledges me before others, the son of man will also acknowledge before the angels of god.
luke 12:8

so christ himself gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the pastors and teachers, to equip his people for works of service, so that the body of christ may be built up until we all reach unity in the faith and in the knowledge of the son of god and become mature, attaining to the whole measure of the fullness of christ.
ephesians 4:11-13

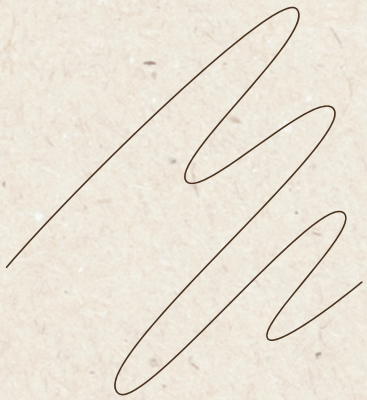
sharing god's love with others

how beautiful on the mountains are the feet of those who bring good news. who proclaim peace, who bring good tidings, who proclaim salvation, who say to zion,"your god reigns!"
isaiah 52:7

there are six things the lord hates, seven that are detestable to him... a false witness who pours out lies and a person who stirs up conflict in the community.
proverbs 6:16, 19

the word of the lord spread through the whole region.
acts 13:49

preach the word; be prepared in season and out of season; correct, rebuke and encourage—with great patience and careful instruction.
2 timothy 4:2



and let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds, not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging one another—and all the more as you see the day approaching.
hebrews 10:24-25

you, however, must teach what is appropriate to sound doctrine.... in everything set them an example by doing what is good. in your teaching show integrity, seriousness and soundness of speech that cannot be condemned, so that those who oppose you may be ashamed because they have nothing bad to say about us.
titus 2:1, 7

but in your hearts revere christ as lord. always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have. but do this with gentleness and respect, keeping a clear conscience, so that those who speak maliciously against your good behavior in christ may be ashamed of their slander.
1 peter 3:15-16

all scripture is god-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, so that the servant of god may be thoroughly equipped for every good work.
2 timothy 3:16-17