**The Church on Mission: A Spirit-led Testimony in a Very Worldly World**

**Acts 6:8-15; 7:44-60**

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**Spirit-led** – Living daily relying on the Spirit as we learn from Scripture how to leave our old life behind and walk in our new life in Christ.

Three types of persecution today in America: “Everyday Church” by Chester and Timmis)

* 1. Legally Marginalized.
  2. Excluded and rejected in relationships.
  3. Slandered and accused of being unloving. (homophobic, narrow minded, intolerant, hateful, etc.)

**I. A complete testimony of Jesus.(Acts 6:1-15)**

**II. A clear testimony of Jesus. (Acts 7:44-53)**

**III. A continual testimony of Jesus (Acts 7:54-60)**

Our purpose to live by daily: Love God, love others, and make disciples.