

**4. The _____ & _____ impact
of the believer and the church**

In _____ to Christ

In _____ for the body

In _____ the uttermost

Extension looks different at every stage of life, but the goal remains the same: faith expressed through obedient action.

In the lives of our _____

In the lives of _____

In the lives of _____

The Sunday School class does not end when the lesson concludes. It extends into homes, workplaces, neighborhoods, and nations. Truth taught must become truth lived—for the glory of Christ and the good of others.

Sunday School

Refresh

4. EXTEND – MOVE BEYOND THE CLASSROOM

*What doth it profit, my brethren, though a man say he hath faith, and have not works? can faith save him? 15 If a brother or sister be naked, and destitute of daily food, 16 And one of you say unto them, Depart in peace, be ye warmed and filled; notwithstanding ye give them not those things which are needful to the body; what doth it profit? 17 Even so **faith, if it hath not works, is dead, being alone.** James 2:14-17*

*Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your **good works**, and glorify your Father which is in heaven. Matthew 5:16*

The ministry of the Sunday School provides opportunities for believers to put their faith to work, extending the impact of the church beyond the classroom and into the homes and lives of many who do not attend. This impact is realized as believers engage in service, generosity, and outreach.

A few historical examples of note:

The ministry of _____

The ministry of _____

The Sunday School extends the influence of the Word of God and the work of the church in the following areas:

1. The _____ of the believer and the church

Devotion grows out of our study of the Word of God in Bible fellowship classes and the preaching of God's Word in the weekly meetings of the church.

_____ devotions

_____ devotions

_____ devotion

2. The _____ of the believer and the church

Maturity is not measured by size, but by sort.

Growing In _____

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3. The _____ of the believer and the church

Extension is sustained by prayer—no work for God advances without dependence on God.
