

# GOSPEL IMPACT IN A RAPIDLY CHANGING WORLD

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Our world is changing at breakneck speed. The volume and velocity of change has many Christians responding in fear and anger.



Now is not the time to shrink away and hide,  
nor is it the time to wage an angry war of  
words.

Now is the time to live out a distinctively  
Biblical worldview rooted in the eternal truth  
of God's Word and the wonder of his character.

Psalm 33



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**“one EFCA”**—where local, regional, national, and international ministries work together toward common ministry objectives with **shared values** and **trusting relationships**





**Missions mindset** — Where are the unreached, unengaged, unnoticed and uninterested people in our community? Who shares our heart and values and would partner with us to reach them?



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- Engage people with the love of Jesus, don't live in fear.





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“Come and see...”

John 1:35-51

John 4:29



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# *Movements that Change the World*

by Steve Addison

Intro: Story of St Patrick of Ireland

Characteristics of a Missionary Movement

- White-hot faith
- Commitment to a cause
- Contagious relationships
- Rapid mobilization
- Adaptive methods



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