

## **Colossians 2 – Planted**

### **Planted to Proclaim**

Colossians 2:1-3

4 I say this in order that no one may delude you with plausible arguments. 5 For though I am absent in body, yet I am with you in spirit, rejoicing to see your good order and the firmness of your faith in Christ.

22 But be doers of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving yourselves.

– James 1:22

### **Planted produces faith**

6 Therefore, as you received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk in him, 7 rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving.

I am the vine; you are the branches. Whoever abides in me and I in him, he it is that bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing. – John 15:5

[...] 6 do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer [...] let your requests be made known to God. 7 And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

– Philippians 4:5b-7

### **Planted produces passion**

8 See to it that no one takes you captive by philosophy and empty deceit, according to human tradition, according to the elemental spirits of the world, and not according to Christ.

Colossians 2:8, (9-15)

Cease to hear instruction, my son, and you will stray from the words of knowledge

– Proverbs 19:27

### **Planted produces prudence**

Colossians 2:16-23

19 and not holding fast to the Head, from whom the whole body, nourished and knit together through its joints and ligaments, grows with a growth that is from God.

Colossians 2:19

### **Planted in Him**

1 Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the wicked, [...]2 but his delight is in the law of the Lord, and on his law he meditates day and night. 3 He is like a tree planted by streams of water that yields its fruit in its season, and its leaf does not wither. In all that he does, he prospers – Psalm 1:1-3.