

# ☞ 我們為甚麼要福傳(三) ☞

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## 福音的兩大信息：喜訊及轉變

**轉變**：喜訊能影響並改變人類，換句話說，當人們相信耶穌基督是主和救主時，聖神就能進入他們的生命中，並賜給他們神力來服侍基督。他們藉著教會聖化生活的相通與基督合而為一。(默 21:5；格後 5:17；迦 6:15)

### 1. 皈依基督 這就是轉變的開始

皈依就是完全放棄自己並全心歸向天主。

可參閱下列聖經：(瑪 18:3、雅 5:19-20、瑪 3:8、路 3:8、宗 20:2；26:20)

### 2. 內心的轉變 就是來自下列束縛中獲得解脫及自由，在基督內成為新人

- 從一切罪惡中
- 從惡魔的勢力中

### 3. 福傳是一種過程

教會傳播福音，最重要的是人心的轉變，這個轉變是一種過程。福傳的整個過程可分為兩個階段：

第一階段 讓人們認識福音

第二階段 建立教會做救援的管道

因此，福傳就是一個建立教會的使命，永恆的事業。

## 福傳的意義：

1. 福傳是教會整個傳教活動的第一個階段。
2. 它不只是個別的，而是帶領人們進入並與基督的奧體合而為一。
3. 它不只是一個機構或組織。
4. 不是可以選擇的，也不是只為教會中少數的人，或者是額外的事。「所以你們要去使萬民成為門徒，因父及子及聖神之名給他們授洗。(瑪 28:19)」 「必須從耶路撒冷開始，因祂的名向萬邦宣講悔改，以得罪赦。(路 24:47)」
5. 不是膚淺的，而是包括人的改變和社會的改造。
6. 不僅是神職人員要傳福音，全體天主的子民都有責任！  
「就是他賜與這些人作宗徒，那些人作先知，有的作傳福音者，有的作司牧和教師。  
(弗 4:11)」
7. 不是把教堂塞滿了人就好了，而是要能影響改變人及社會的風氣。
8. 福音不是人類發明的事。
9. 傳福音是下列各項的綜合：
  - 講福音道理
  - 度聖善的生活(生活見證)
  - 引導人們進入教會的充實生活
  - 建立教會
  - 引導人皈依基督，在基督內重生
  - 接納聖神的徵兆和德能

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# Why do we have to evangelize (3)?

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The two main messages from the Gospel: Good News and Transformation

**Conversion** : Good news influence and make people convert. In another word, when we believe Jesus Christ is the savior, the Holy Spirit will enter into our lives and give us strength to follow Jesus. Through the spiritual life in the Church, we unite with Jesus. ( Ref.: Rv 21:5 ; 2 Co 5:17 ; Ga 6:15 )

## 1. Convert to Christ – change begins

Convert means to abandon your whole self and turn your heart to God.

( Ref.: Mt 18:3, Jm 5:19-20, Mt 3:8, Lk 3:8, Ac 20:2, 26:20 )

## 2. Inner Change frees us from sins and satanic power, to become a New man.

## 3. Evangelization is a process

The core of evangelization is to change the inner hearts of people. This change undergoes a process of two stages:

First stage: Let people hear the Gospel

Second stage: Establish the Church to serve as a channel of salvation

Hence, evangelization is the eternal mission of the Church

Meaning of Evangelization :

1. Spreading the Good News is the first step for Church evangelization.
2. Evangelization is not an individual topic, it brings us to unite with the body of Christ.
3. It is not an organization nor institution.
4. Evangelization is to everybody, not to the minority in the Church, nor an additional duty. “Go, therefore, make disciples of all nations; baptize them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.” (Mt 28:19) “and that, in his name, repentance for the forgiveness of sins would be preached to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem.” (Lk 24:47)
5. Evangelization is not superficial, but inner change of man and the society.
6. Not only those ordained clergy needs evangelize, but all the people of God. “And to some, his ‘gift’ was that they should be apostles; to some, prophets; to some, evangelists; to some, pastors and teachers;” (Ep 4:11)
7. Successful evangelization doesn’t reflect in the full house of the church but to affect and change the ethos of human being and society.
8. Good News is not invented by human.
9. Evangelization include the followings:
  - To preach the Gospel
  - To live a holy life (to be witness through life)
  - To bring people into the Church life
  - To establish the Church
  - To convert people to God and reborn in God
  - To accept the sign and virtue of the Holy Spirit

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