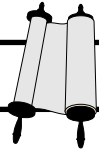


# CHRIST GOSPEL MESSAGE

## OLD TESTAMENT



### GOSPEL OF GOD

- From the time of Abraham there was the “gospel” that all the nations would be blessed (**Ga.3:8**)
- The Hebrews coming out of Egypt heard the “gospel” but many did not have faith (**He.4:2**).
- Timothy, his mother and grandmother had faith first in the message of the O.T. (**2Tm.1:5; 3:15**).
- Road to Emmaus (**Lk.24:13-35**): “And beginning at Moses and all the prophets, he expounded unto them in all the scriptures the things concerning himself” (**Lk.24:27**).

## MINISTRY OF CHRIST

(3 Years)

- **Mk.1:14-15**. the first message of Jesus was the gospel of God.
- *Apo tote*. This is the historical marker of the beginning of Jesus’ ministry (**Mt.4:17**).
- The term *euangelion* in the Greek world meant (1) good news; (2) reward for one bringing good news.
- It simply meant “good news” of any kind.
- What’s the intended meaning of each phrase?
- The context will give us clues as to the meaning.
- The gospel of God includes the gospel of the kingdom.



## CHURCH AGE

(6 Months)

### GOSPEL OF CHRIST

- **Mt.16:21-23**, notice the 3 pillars are there (death, burial, resurrection)
- “From that time” is a historical marker for the beginning of the gospel of Christ message.
- *Apo tote*. It is a preposition and an adverb of time.
- This is the beginning of the word being used in a technical sense.
- Notice Peter’s strong reaction (**v.22**) as he now understands.
- There is only one gospel of Christ, but there are many gospels in a general sense (**Ga.1:6-10**).
- **1Co.15:1-4**, the core pillars of the gospel of Christ: (1) Christ died; (2) buried; (3) rose the 3rd day. Two times in this passage Paul says, this is “according to the Scriptures.”
- The term gospel became technical or short for the death, burial, and resurrection of Christ.