

# Sermon Notes

KEY SCRIPTURES: GALATIANS 2:1-10

(re)FOCUS: Remind- Mission<sup>3</sup>  
Rev. Gary Walter, ECC President

Gary Walter is President of the Evangelical Covenant Church. A California native from the San Francisco Bay area, he graduated with high honors from the University of California at Berkeley and additionally received a Master of Divinity degree from North Park Theological Seminary in Chicago. He has served Covenant churches in Azusa, California; Bellevue, Washington; and San Diego, California.

His denominational service began as Director of Church Planting where he oversaw the starting of new congregations. He then served as Executive Minister of Church Growth and Evangelism, which works with church planting, congregational vitality, and evangelism.

Walter has served as ECC President since 2008. He is also a columnist for the Covenant Companion magazine, an adjunct professor at North Park Theological Seminary, and a member of the United States Advisory Committee for the Lausanne Movement for Global Evangelization.

He and his wife, Nancy, have three daughters, and are founding members of DeerGrove Covenant Church in Palatine, Illinois, where they reside.

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