



# God-Sent Solutions

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## ACTS 6:1-7 (NLT)

*But as the believers rapidly multiplied, there were rumblings of discontent. The Greek-speaking believers complained about the Hebrew-speaking believers, saying that their widows were being discriminated against in the daily distribution of food.<sup>2</sup> So the Twelve called a meeting of all the believers. They said, "We apostles should spend our time teaching the word of God, not running a food program.<sup>3</sup> And so, brothers, select seven men who are well respected and are full of the Spirit and wisdom. We will give them this responsibility.<sup>4</sup> Then we apostles can spend our time in prayer and teaching the word."<sup>5</sup> Everyone liked this idea, and they chose the following: Stephen (a man full of faith and the Holy Spirit), Philip, Procorus, Nicanor, Timon, Parmenas, and Nicolas of Antioch (an earlier convert to the Jewish faith).<sup>6</sup> These seven were presented to the apostles, who prayed for them as they laid their hands on them.<sup>7</sup> So God's message continued to spread. The number of believers greatly increased in Jerusalem, and many of the Jewish priests were converted, too.*

## God Will Not Let \_\_\_\_\_ Obstruct His Purpose.

### I. Expect \_\_\_\_\_

- Acts 6:1-2

### II. \_\_\_\_\_ Can Further the Word of God

- \_\_\_\_\_ : (DEACON)

**διάκονος** **διάκονος**, dee-ak'-on-os; one who execute the commands of another, one who serves.

- Acts 6:3 (NLT)
- 1 Peter 4:10

### III. There Are Different \_\_\_\_\_ in the Body of Christ

- Acts 6:2 (NLT)
- Ephesians 4:16 (NLT)
- 1 Corinthians 12:7 (NLT)

### IV. Great Things Can Be Accomplished When We \_\_\_\_\_

- Acts 6:7 (NLT)
- Matthew 16:18 (NLT)

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#### Upcoming Events at LTWC

Community Group Bible Studies - Online and In-person

- Wednesdays at 6:30 pm

Pop-Up Worship

- Sunday, October 30 at 6 pm

Saturday Night Sunday School

- November 12 & 26 at 9 pm - LTWC Facebook Page

Ministry Fair

- November 13 after each service

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