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*I believe that building
the Church is the
primary work of God in
this world and its only
hope.*



I believe the church is here on earth not to do what other groups can do, but to do what no other group or human being can do .



*I believe that the two
greatest dangers we
face, are that we give up
on the gospel and give in
to the culture*



*I believe strong Churches
come through the
influence of godly
leaders.*



I believe that the most effective way to re-evangelize the UK is through the planting of hundreds of new churches, while not neglecting the ongoing need for renewal in older ones.



*I believe that healthy
Church Leaders need
practical, honest,
encouraging and Biblical
input into their lives.*



I believe that



I believe that there is an important difference between church size and church health.





“You can be big and healthy, or big and flabby. You can be small and healthy, or small and wimpy. Big isn’t better; small isn’t better. Healthy is better.” Rick Warren:







“.. and to present her to himself as a radiant church, without stain or wrinkle or any other blemish, but holy and blameless.” Ephesians 5:27



*Two reminders
then two questions?*

1. Most kingdom work is
unseen



Mark 4

The parable of the

How the kingdom

Sower and soils 4:1-20

.... Comes

Growing seed 4:26-29

.... Grows

Mustard seed 4v30-32

.... Impacts





How the kingdom grows 4:26-29

1. **Secretly v27**
2. **Assuredly v28**

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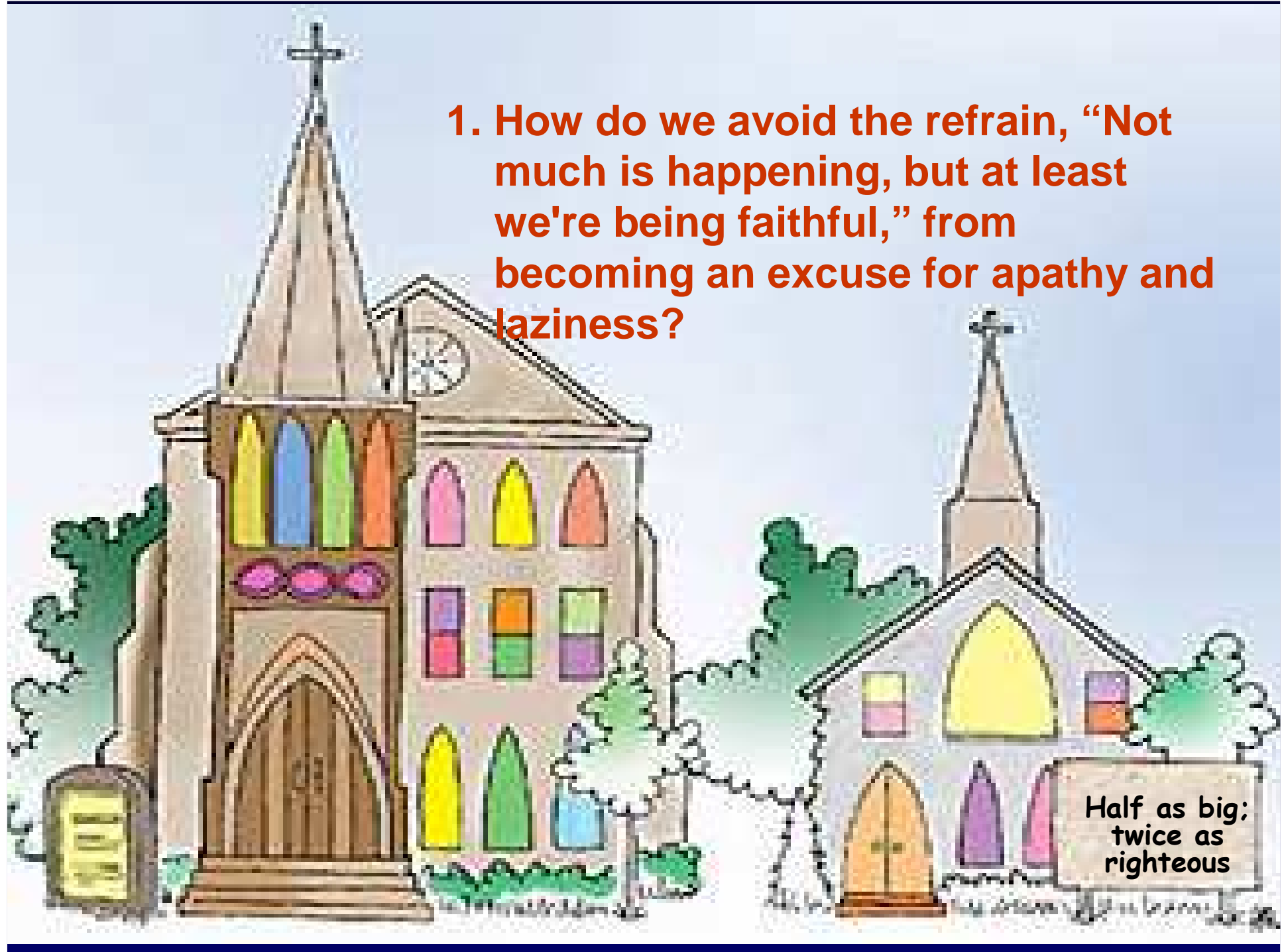
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**2. The measure of ministry is
known only by God.**

Jeremiah 26:20, 23



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