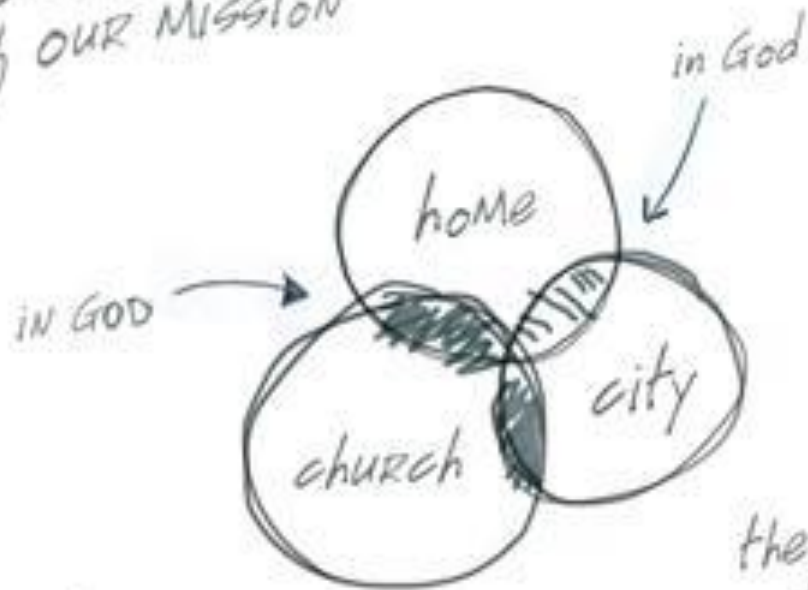




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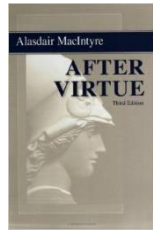


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CULTURE

“...I can only answer the question, ‘What am I to do?’ if I can answer the prior question ‘Of what story or stories do I find myself a part?’”



Alasdair MacIntyre, *After Virtue: A Study in Moral Theory*, p. 216.



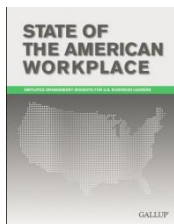
“...The gods' load is too great, the work too hard, the trouble too much...*let us make man* to bear the yoke... Let man bear the load of the gods...to bear the gods' burdens so that these may rest! Their forced labor was heavy, their misery too much! Every day, the outcry was loud, we could hear the clamor. Let the midwife of the god create a human being. Let her create, then, a human, a man. Let him bear the yoke! Let him bear the yoke! Let man assume the drudgery of the gods.”

*The Epic of Atrahasis, Tablet 1*



# 70%

**OF AMERICAN WORKERS  
ARE “NOT ENGAGED” OR  
“ACTIVELY DISENGAGED.”**



Gallup, *State of the American Workplace: Employee Engagement Insights for U.S. Business Leaders*, 2013.



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