

## **LEARNING WITH LUKE 10:1-16 - "Called to Commitment!"**

**Luke 10:2** "pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into His harvest"

**Luke 10:3** "Go your way! Behold, I am sending you out as lambs in the midst of wolves"

**Luke 10:16** "the one who rejects you rejects Me; the one who rejects Me rejects Him who sent Me"

*John Piper - Life is too short, too precious, too painful, to waste on worldly bubbles that burst. Heaven is too great, hell is too horrible, eternity is too long, that we should putter around on the porch of eternity.*

### **1- GO, work in God's harvest! - you are a missionary**

Luke 10:1-3 - obedience  
on ahead  
two by two  
like lambs

Luke 10:4-8 - instructions  
no extra stuff  
no extra talk  
no extra perks  
shalom peace

*RK Hughes - They were sometimes the answers to their own prayers. Disciples were absolutely defenseless and spectacularly dependent upon God. They were endowed with His authority and were the voice of God.*

### **2- HO, the kingdom of God is here! - you have a message**

Luke 10:8-9 - priorities  
healing the sick  
proclaiming good news

*RC Sproul- Where mission activity is done, spiritual warfare will take place. The commander sends troops into battle knowing the opposition is strong. Natural man is hostile toward the holiness of God and His person. Today an urgency abides, as we are called to proclaim the advent of the kingdom of God.*

### **3- WOE, warn the unrepentant! - you are an emissary**

Luke 10:10-15 - responsibility  
don't waste time  
don't mince words  
stakes are high

*JC Ryle- Deep reasoning and elaborate arguments are not the weapons by which God is generally pleased to convert souls. Simple and plain statements, boldly and solemnly made in a such a manner that they are evidently felt & believed by him who makes them, seem to have the most effect on hearts & consciences.*

### **4- YOU, what's your response? - make up your mind**

Luke 10:16 - believe receive  
John 12:44-50 - dark to light  
1 Peter 3:14-17 - a reason  
How do you represent God ?

*JC Ryle- You are on the King's business, an ambassador, a herald, bearing glad tidings of peace.*

*CH Spurgeon- you have never truly found Jesus if you do not tell others about Him.*

### **DAILY BIBLE READING - ENGAGE~WORD~CHURCH~COMMUNITY...**

5-24 **Psalm 27:1-14** - by my God  
5-25 **Luke 10:1-3** - work the field  
5-26 **Luke 10:4-8** - commitment  
5-27 **Luke 10:8-9** - kingdom of God  
5-28 **Luke 10:10-16** - repentance  
5-29 **John 12:44-50** - dark to light  
5-30 **1 Peter 3:14-17** - reasonable

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♦ How will I be **transformed**, by God's truth, in the Spirit's power, as I trust & obey ?

