

Friday, January 29, 2021

Mark 1:14-20



Scripture teaches that when Jesus called, each man left what he was doing at the time and walked with Jesus. They went with Jesus apparently having no explanation and giving no argument.

Think of God's call to Abram in Genesis 12:1-3. How much coercing was needed in order for Abram to obey God? What did Abram do?

Handwriting lines for reflection on Friday's passage.

Saturday, January 30, 2021

Life Application and Challenge



God calls each one of us to respond to him. We are to be actively engaged in discipleship in our lives here in the twenty-first century. Our faith is not a state in which we sit quietly and securely. Our faith demands action from us.

When you compare your faith *in sitting* to your faith *in action*, what do you see? Whom could you see yourself discipling right now?

Handwriting lines for reflection on Saturday's passage.

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<sup>13</sup> "Enter through the narrow gate. For wide is the gate and broad is the road that leads to destruction, and many enter through it. <sup>14</sup> But small is the gate and narrow the road that leads to life, and only a few find it.—Matthew 7:13-14—NIV

Chaplain Bruce Reed Preaching  
Jonah 3:1-5, 10; Psalm 62:5-12; 1 Corinthians 7:29-31; Mark 1:14-20  
The week of January 24, 2021

<sup>16</sup> As Jesus walked beside the Sea of Galilee, he saw Simon and his brother Andrew casting a net into the lake, for they were fishermen.

<sup>17</sup> "Come, follow me," Jesus said, "and I will make you fishers of men."

<sup>18</sup> At once they left their nets and followed him.

Mark 1:16-18 - NIV

What teaching points, lifestyle questions, and biblical learnings can I take away from the sermon and apply to my own life today?

Handwriting lines for reflection on the sermon.



We are on this journey together. There is no need to travel it alone...

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## MY DAILY PRAYER FOCUS

Please pray for our church: that we put into action the entire concept of discipleship, inviting others to journey with us.

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

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Saturday

**MY PRAYER JOURNAL**  
**FOR THE WEEK**

**Monday, January 25, 2021**

**Mark 1:14-20**



Jesus proclaims that the kingdom of God is near as he calls his disciples to come and follow him. This is clear evidence that our faith is not to be practiced in a vacuum, but accomplished out in the world.

How do you live into your faith in Christ? How do you proclaim his message to others? How have you called others to his service? Explain.

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**Tuesday, January 26, 2021**

**Jonah 3:1-5, 10**



Jonah 3:1 teaches that God called Jonah a second time. In earlier verses God had already called Jonah, but Jonah did not respond appropriately. This time Jonah did as God directed him.

What did God call Jonah to do? How did Jonah react to God the second time God called him? What did God do as a result of the Ninevites action?

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**Join the Prayer Team by  
contacting the church office.**

**Wednesday, January 27, 2021**

**Psalm 62:5-12**



We learn by reading vv. 5-12 that God is someone we can count on in our lives, (1) when friends, family, and co-workers let us down, (2) when we are unhappy with our world, and (3) when everything falls apart in our lives.

How have you found hope in God? In what ways have you viewed God as your fortress? What does it mean for God to be your rock? Explain.

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**Thursday, January 28, 2021**

**1 Corinthians 7:29-31**



V. 29 teaches that time is short, and that we should live as if this world is passing away before our eyes. Since this was written about two thousand years ago, time is even shorter than it was. There must be a sense of urgency!

How can you live your life knowing that time is shorter now than when this letter was penned? Where do you place your trust? Whom should you trust?

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