



Riverstone
BAPTIST CHURCH

Sermon Based Questions

Date- Sunday 8th March 2020

Series- Lent Matthew- Part 2

A movement of Mission

*"37 Then he said to his disciples, "The harvest is plentiful but the workers are few.
38 Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest
field." Matthew 9:37-38*

1. Ask the lord of the harvest to send out workers. Matthew 9:35-38.

2. Instructions on the Mission. Matthew 10:1-15

A. Examining the texts.

1. Read Matthew 9:35-10:4. What is the motive that Jesus has for his mission? What indirect action does he call for?
2. Read Matthew 9:35-10:4. What is Jesus' answer for his prayer? What does he do immediately after calling the disciples to pray? What does he give the disciples?
3. Read Matthew 10:5-15. Who were the disciples not to go to and who were they to go to? What was their message and what were they to do?
4. Read Matthew 10:5-15. What were they to do about provision and what were they to do about opposition?

B. Meditation & application

5. According to Jesus here- what is his motive for mission and how should his heart reflect ours in mission? What other possible motives is there for mission? (healthy and unhealthy)
6. What are we asked to pray for? Were in our church and in your world are harvest workers required and how could you actively pray for them in the coming weeks/months and years?
7. What if Jesus is asking you to come to himself and be taught by him and sent out in his name? What based on this passage will he provide for you and what steps are you required to take as you go in his name?
8. Is there any ways in which you could be involved in: A. Being a harvest worker and raising up harvest workers in our church and beyond? What practical things could you do according to Jesus to be involved in this mission?

A Prayer: Lord- we are so grateful that you are both a God of compassion and a God who sends his good shepherd into the world so that we wont have to wander like sheep without a shepherd. Help us Lord to get involved in harvest work, through prayer and asking you Lord to raise up and send out workers and through being like Isaiah- willing to say- "here I am send me." We ask this in Jesus name- Amen.