SERMON NOTES





BIG IDEA: Faithful disciples share in Jesus' mission by going in his authority, relying on his provision, accepting people's response, proclaiming his message, and giving an account of their work.

APPLICATION GUIDE

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DISCUSS

Read Mark 6:7–13, 30. What do you notice about Jesus' instructions to the Twelve?

Why did Jesus send them out two by two (v. 7)? What advantages did that give them?

Why do you think Jesus told them to take almost nothing for their journey (vv. 8–9)?

What does it mean to "shake the dust off your feet" (v. 11)? Why would that have been shocking in a Jewish town?

What was the core of their message (vv. 12-13)? How does it connect to Jesus' preaching in Mark 1:15?

In v. 30, why is it significant that the apostles reported "all they had done and taught" back to Jesus?

APPLY

Where do you most need to remember that you go in Christ's authority, not your own?

Where in your life do you feel under-resourced right now? How might God be calling you to rely on his provision?

Who in your life has received your witness positively? Who has resisted or rejected it? How can you remain faithful in both cases?

If you had to give an account of your work to Christ today, what would you want to be able to lay at his feet?

COMMIT

Choose one person in your life who has not yet trusted Christ. Pray daily for them this week, look for a way to show Christ's compassion, and be ready to speak his message of repentance and hope if the opportunity arises.