



## SCRIPTURE

MARK 6:7-13

### Read Mark 6:7, 12-13 and discuss 1-2 of these questions:

- Why do you think Jesus sent out the disciples “two by two” instead of on their own?
- What does it mean to you when someone gives you “authority”? Share about a time when you were trusted with authority/responsibility over something or someone.

### Read Mark 6:8-9 and discuss 1-2 of these questions:

- What do you think went through the disciples’ minds when Jesus told them not to take anything?
- On a scale of 1-4 (1=not at all, 4=completely), how would you rate your willingness to trust in Jesus?
- Why do we sometimes struggle to trust that Jesus has our best intentions in mind?

### Read Mark 6:10-11 and discuss 1-2 of these questions:

- Share about a time when you shared Jesus with someone or invited someone to church. How did they respond? How did it make you feel?
- Why is it important for us not to take on the responsibility of someone else’s faith?



## CONNECTION

- What are some of the obstacles that keep you from sharing your faith with others? How could you trust Jesus to overcome those obstacles this week?

## MARK OF A DISCIPLE

Disciples of Christ don't try to follow Jesus on their own.

### APPLY IT

This week, look for someone in your life who you can join in community and support each other as you go into the world and share Jesus with others. Then make a plan to each talk to at least one person about Jesus in the next 30 days.

#### *Be specific:*

- What are you going to do?
- When are you going to do it?
- Is there someone who can keep you accountable?

## PRAYER

Take time to pray for each other's applications in the upcoming weeks.

## MEMORY VERSE

"And Jesus came and said to them, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age.'"

Matthew 28:18-20 (ESV)

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