



Mark 6:7-13

INTRODUCTION

Jesus send his apostles to proclaim and show the Kingdom of God has come. The mission he gave to them is the emission he gave to us

INSTRUCTIONS

This guide is meant to facilitate discussion which will lead to a response to God's word. Therefore please use it as tool that best fits the needs of your small group.

OPENING DISCUSSION

- What was the most interesting idea/concept about Sunday's sermon?-
- What is your overall impression of Jesus in this passage?

REVIEW

- Have someone read **Mark 6:7-13**
- Why does he send them in pairs?
- Why does he ask them to leave everything behind?
- Why does Jesus send them to people who will reject them with no provisions?
- Why does he give them power and authority? Why not just tell them to go preach?

APPLICATION

- What are the advantages of working as a team in mission work? What are dangers of going alone?
- How should Jesus' restrictions on what the apostles should take with them be applied today?
- What might we do or say as an equivalent to the custom of shaking the dust off one's feet when leaving an unreceptive town?
- How would you define repentance to someone who had never been in a church?
- What does it mean that God makes his appeal through us (**2 Cor 5:20**)?
- How do you make sure your life is focused on the kingdom and not accumulation?
- Are you doing anything that requires faith in Jesus?

PRAYER (divide the group based on gender if desired)

- What action/repentance does God want you to take according to the truths of this text?
- Are there any other prayer needs?