

Re-Up

Sermon Outline
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Recommit to Mission

Acts 1:8

Why is it hard to commit to God's mission?

1. We don't fully _____ the mission.

Luke 4:18-19 "The Spirit of the LORD is on me, because he has anointed me to proclaim good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim freedom for the prisoners and recovery of sight for the blind, to set the oppressed free, ¹⁹to proclaim the year of the LORD's favor."

The mission of God is centered on the life of _____.

Luke 19:10 "For the Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost."

The mission is about _____ and _____ the lost.

2. We don't feel _____ for the mission.

1 Corinthians 1:26-29 "Brothers, think of what you were when you were called. Not many of you were wise by human standards; not many were influential; not many were of noble birth. But God chose the foolish things of the world to shame the wise; God chose the weak things of the world to shame the strong. He chose the lowly things of this world and the despised things—and the things that are not—to nullify the things that are, so that no one may boast before him."

God doesn't call the _____ but he qualifies the _____.

3. We don't want to give up our _____ life.

Mark 8:34-35 "If any would come after me, he must deny himself and take up his cross and follow me. For whoever wants to save their life will lose it, but whoever loses their life for me and for the gospel will save it."

"When Christ calls a man, he bids him come and die." -**Dietrich Bonhoeffer**

God's method for mission is through the _____.

What are steps we can take to _____?

1. Pray for _____ to commit to God's mission.

Acts 28:31 "He proclaimed the kingdom of God and taught about the Lord Jesus Christ—with all **boldness** and without hindrance!"

2. Spend time _____ about God's mission.

Matthew 4:1-2 "Then Jesus was led by the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted by the devil. ²After **fasting** forty days and forty nights, he was hungry."

3. Be _____ and _____ to God's mission.

Isaiah 6:8 "Then **I** heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall **I** send? And who will go for us?" And **I** said, "**Here am I. Send me!**"

21 Day Prayer Challenge

Will you join us as we seek to more fully commit to the mission of God by creating a new habit over the next 21 days?