

# THE EVANGELISTIC AND DISCIPLESHIP MINISTRIES OF THE SERVANT



**MARK 1:14-20**  
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# I. The Evangelistic Ministry of the Servant



- **Mark 1:14, Now after that John was put in prison, Jesus came into Galilee, preaching the gospel of the kingdom of God, <sup>15</sup> And saying, The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand: repent ye, and believe the gospel. <sup>16</sup>**

# Mark 1:14-16



## **A. THE MESSENGERS**

**Now after that John was put in prison,  
Jesus came . . .**

## **B. THE MISSION FIELD**

**“into Galilee,”**

## **C. THE METHOD**

**“preaching”**

# Sea of Galilee





# Mark 1:14-16



## **D. THE MESSAGE**

**“the gospel”**

**“of the kingdom of God,”**

**“And saying, The time is fulfilled,”**

**“and the kingdom of God is at hand:”**

## **E. THE MANDATE**

**“repent ye,”**

**“and believe the gospel.”**

## II. The Discipleship Ministry of the Servant



- **Now as he walked by the sea of Galilee, he saw Simon and Andrew his brother casting a net into the sea: for they were fishers. <sup>17</sup> And Jesus said unto them, Come ye after me, and I will make you to become fishers of men. <sup>18</sup> And straightway they forsook their nets, and followed him. <sup>19</sup> And when he had gone a little further thence, he saw James the son of Zebedee, and John his brother, who also were in the ship mending their nets. <sup>20</sup> And straightway he called them: and they left their father Zebedee in the ship with the hired servants, and went after him.**

## A. Simon and Andrew's Call to Discipleship (Mark 1:16-18)



### **1. HIS SEARCH**

**“Now as he walked by the sea of Galilee,”**

### **2. HIS SIGHT**

**“he saw Simon and Andrew his brother casting a net into the sea: for they were fishers.”**

### **3. HIS SUMMONS**

**“And Jesus said unto them, Come ye after me, and I will make you to become fishers of men.**

### **SIMON AND ANDREW'S RESPONSE:**

**“And straightway they forsook their nets, and followed him.”**





## B. James and John's Call to Discipleship (Mark 1:19-20)



### 1. HIS SEARCH

**“And when he had gone a little further thence,”**

### 2. HIS SIGHT

**“he saw James the son of Zebedee, and John his brother, who also were in the ship mending their nets.”**

### 3. HIS SUMMONS

**“And straightway he called them:”**

### JAMES AND JOHN'S RESPONSE:

**“and they left their father Zebedee in the ship with the hired servants, and went after him.”**

# “The Sea of Galilee” Boat



# Josephus counted 330 fishing boats on Galilee



# “CASTING A NET”



## TOOLS OF EVANGELISM:

1. Use of evangelistic services, programs, outreaches
2. Use of tracts and Christian literature
3. Use of your personal testimony of salvation
4. Use of an evangelistic Bible study
5. Use of a soul-winning plan

# “MENDING THEIR NETS”



## TOOLS OF DISCIPLESHIP:

1. Devotions (Bible study and prayer) – “heart”
2. Doctrine – “head”
3. Duty – “hand”

## GOAL TO BECOME CHRISTLIKE

1. This involves following Christ
2. This involves godly character
3. This involves great commission living  
(i.e. evangelizing and teaching others – discipleship)

# Who are you seeking to win to Christ?



- Who are you praying for?
  - Have you given them a tract, Christian literature a Bible?
  - Have you shared with them how you became a Christian?
  - Have you invited them out to church? Or to a special service?
  - Have you asked them to consider doing a Bible study with you?
  - Have you gone over the plan of salvation with them?

# Who are you seeking to disciple?



- Who are you praying for?
  - Have you given them something to read in the Bible?
  - Have you invited them out to Sunday school, to church?
  - Have you taught them how to have devotions, to study the Bible, to pray?
  - Have you encouraged them to be baptized?
  - Have you encouraged them to seek church membership in a Bible-believing church?
  - Have you asked them to consider doing a Bible study?
  - Have you asked them to join you in your soul winning efforts?

# “Repent ye and believe the gospel”



- To become a follower of Jesus Christ, you must “repent” (an attitude change towards sin) and “believe” that Christ died for your sins, was buried and rose again.
- Dear God, I now seek to turn from my sin so I can turn to you. I ask you to forgive me. By faith I want to receive the free gift of eternal life that your Word promises. With your help I want to follow your Son in whose name, I pray. Amen.