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June Week B - Witness

“Praxis is not a one-time event, but a continuous cycle of reflection and action that leads to deeper understanding and learning.”

- Paolo Freire

“Success is not final, failure is not fatal; it is the courage to continue that counts.”

- Winston Churchill

“Watch your life and doctrine closely. Persevere in them, because if you do, you will save both yourself and your hearers.”

- Paul, 1 Timothy 4:16

Reflection Questions for your Witness Practice

Basic Debrief Questions: How did it go with witness over the past couple weeks? Did you remember to pray for an open heart and open doors? If you didn't what held you back? Did you walk through an open door and have a conversation with someone who doesn't know Jesus? What was it like? Where did you experience consolation or the presence of God in it? Where did you experience desolation?

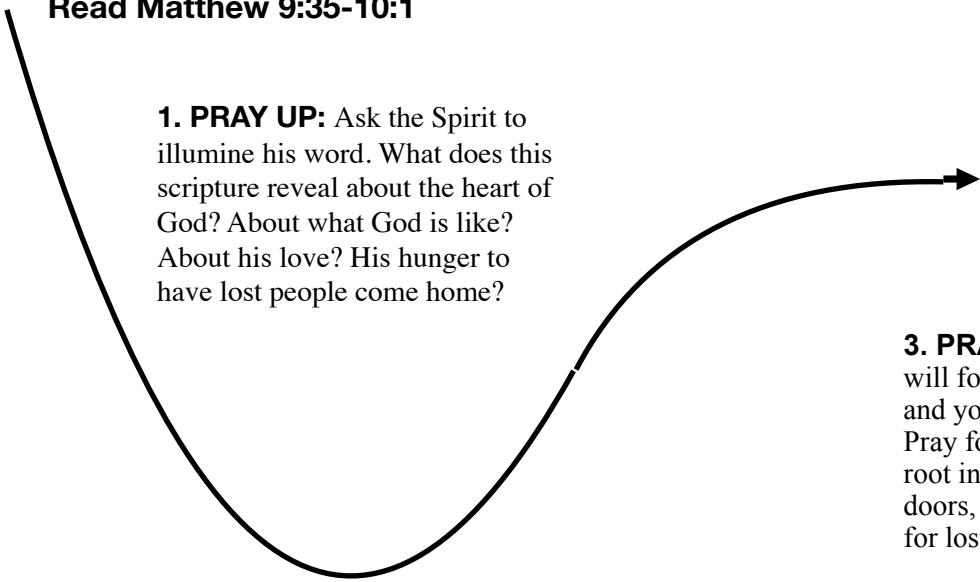
Going Deeper Questions: What are you learning? About God? About yourself? About our calling to witness?

Looking Ahead Questions: What is the next step for you in witness? What needs to happen for you to integrate it into your life as a regular practice?

My Witness Plan (Version 2.0)

Seeking the LORD

Read Matthew 9:35-10:1



1. PRAY UP: Ask the Spirit to illumine his word. What does this scripture reveal about the heart of God? About what God is like? About his love? His hunger to have lost people come home?

2. PRAY IN: Ask the Spirit to apply the truth of this scripture to our hearts. What needs to happen for Jesus' burning love for others to invade our own hearts? Let's ask Jesus to fill us with his compassion and activate us in praying the Lord of the harvest to seek and save lost people. Let's ask God to activate us as laborers in his harvest.

3. PRAY OUT: Begin praying God's will for the church, starting with you and your family and home church. Pray for practices of witness to take root in our rhythms. Pray for open doors, open tables, open hearts. Pray for lost people to enter the Kingdom.