## **Study Guide**

## September 8, 2019

Sunday, September 8th (I took time to pray today  $\Box$ )

**Read: Luke 14:25-33** These verses share the difficulty of becoming a Disciple.

**Questions:** How much is your religion worth to you? Are you the type of person who wants to see only the benefits of being a believer and not also see the difficulties? How much are you willing to give up?

Monday, September 9th (I took time to pray today 
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**Read:** Matthew 28:16-20 This is the Scripture known as the great commission. We are called to go out and make disciples and we have been given all authority to do this.

**Questions:** What is your understanding of Jesus giving you all authority? How comforting is it to you to know that Jesus will be with you as you go out from the church to make disciples?

**Tuesday, September 10th** (I took time to pray today  $\Box$ )

**Read: Matthew 4:19-20** This Scripture talks about the calling of the first Disciples.

**Questions:** How do you respond when you feel you need to drop everything and be obedient to what God is calling you to do? Do you say "yes" to God more than you say "No" to Him?

Wednesday, September 11th (I took time to pray today  $\Box$ )

**Read: 2 Timothy 2:2** This Scripture tells us to be teachers of others so that they will be qualified to teach what they have heard.

**Questions:** Do you see yourself as teaching others? Are you willing to take steps in order to teach others about Jesus?

**Thursday, September 12th** (I took time to pray today  $\Box$ )

**Read:** Luke 9:23 This the Scripture that tells us that we must take up our cross to follow Jesus.

**Questions:** Have you ever given thought to what is your cross? What are some things that you might have to give up to be a true follower of Jesus? Are you willing to do this?

**Friday, September 13th** (I took time to pray today  $\Box$ )

**Read: Romans 12:1-2** We are to offer our bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God, which is our spiritual act of worship. Also, we are not to conform to what this world wants, but are to be transformed by the renewing of our minds.

**Questions:** How difficult do you find it to not be conformed to the pattern of this world? Do you like the idea that what we think can be transformed by renewing our minds? Are you willing to give this a try?

Saturday, September 14th (I took time to pray today  $\Box$ )

**Read:** John 13:34-35 We receive the command to love one another because men will then know that we are disciples of Jesus.

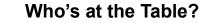
**Questions:** In following the GPS, do you see how many times we are called to love one another? Again, how do you do at this? Did you consider that loving another shows others that we are Disciples of Jesus?

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Through God's love for us we can't help but want to serve others and show that love to them. Let us help you explore the best way for you to show love and serve in your Christian path. See Pastor Bob or Deacon Maryanne who are willing to help you in your faith walk.

## Notes: today I pray







Bring a friend to Sunday School and worship on Sunday! Check in on Facebook when you are here. Grow, Pray, and Study Guide.



## **Prayers For The Week**

**Sunday:** Jesus, remind me that being a Disciple of yours can be such a blessing. I desire to show others that I am Your follower. Amen.

**Monday**: Lord, thank you that you are always with me and give me all authority. Reveal Your will to me so that I can tell others about You. Amen.

**Tuesday:** God, it is not easy to drop everything and follow You. Help me see that all You have for me is good. Amen.

**Wednesday**: Jesus, I want others to know about You but hesitate in sharing. Give me the boldness to let others know about You. Amen.

**Thursday**: Father, thank you for Your love for me. Let that flow into me so that I can give up the things that are not good for me. Amen.

**Friday:** Jesus, thank you that our negative and improper thoughts can be transformed by You. Remind me of this daily. Amen.

**Saturday:** Lord, show me how to love like you have loved. I want others to know that I am Your Disciple. Amen.

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