



## The Disciples' Decision

“Therefore, it is necessary to choose one of the men...” Acts 1:21

“Then they cast lots, and the lot fell to Mathias...” Acts 1:26

## Tough decisions require us to...

### 1. Capitalize

on \_\_\_\_\_.

Proverbs 11:14; 15:22

“They all joined together..., along with the women and Mary....” Acts 1:14

### 2. Call

upon \_\_\_\_\_.

Acts 1:14, 24; 2:42, 26; Rom. 12:12; 13:16

- By  
James 1:5-6; Matt. 7:7-11; Col. 1:9-10

“These all with one mind were continually devoting themselves to prayer...” Acts 1:14 (NASB)



- By  
Psalm 119:97-100; 2 Tim 3:16-17; Proverbs 16:33

“‘For,’ said Peter, ‘it is written in the Book of Psalms: May his place be deserted; let there be no one to dwell in it, and, May another take his place of leadership.’” Acts 1:20 (c.f. Psalm 69:25; 109:8)

### 3. Chart out God’s \_\_\_\_\_.

Acts 1:21-25

#### What did God already reveal to the Apostles?

Acts 1:2; Luke 6:12-13

#### How will this decision impact...

- ...my  
1 Cor. 10:31; 2 Cor. 5:9
- ...my  
Heb. 12:1; Phil. 3:13-14
- ...my  
Rom. 14:13-21; Eph. 4:29; Col. 4:5
- ...my  
Eph 6:16; Col.4:5
- ...my  
1 Cor. 6:19-20
- ...my  
Rom. 14:5, 22-23
- ...my  
Gal. 5:22-26; Phil. 4:8

Commit myself to the \_\_\_\_\_.