#### Announcing the

#### from Mark's Gospel

# Ministry 101

Mark 6:7-30

# Jesus Sends Us Out Too!

"<sup>18</sup>Then Jesus came to them and said, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. <sup>19</sup>Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, <sup>20</sup>and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."





# Our mission is to ...

# represent Jesus

# **Representing Jesus**

#### "Therefore, we are **ambassadors** for Christ, God making his appeal through us. We implore you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God."





#### **Representing Jesus**

"<sup>9</sup>But you are a chosen race, a **royal priesthood**, a holy nation, a people for his own possession, that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light. <sup>10</sup> Once you were not a people, but now you are God's people; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy."



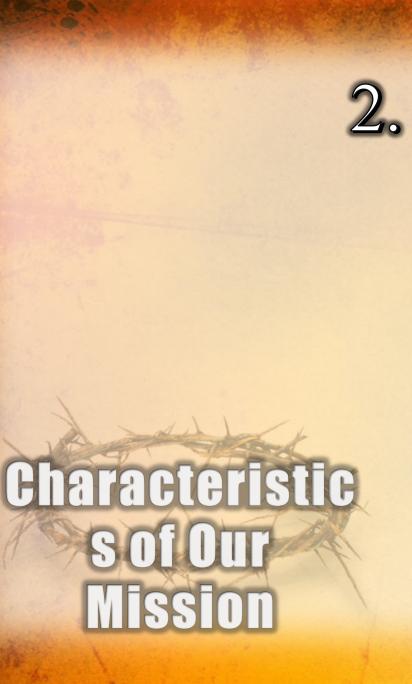


#### Characteristic S of Our Mission

# 1. Our mission is <u>comprehensive</u>.

"<sup>7</sup>And he called the twelve and began to send them out two by two, and gave them authority over the unclean spirits...<sup>12</sup>So they went out and proclaimed that people should repent. <sup>13</sup>And they cast out many demons and anointed with oil many who were sick and healed them."

Mark 6:7, 12-13



# Our mission is <u>urgent</u>.

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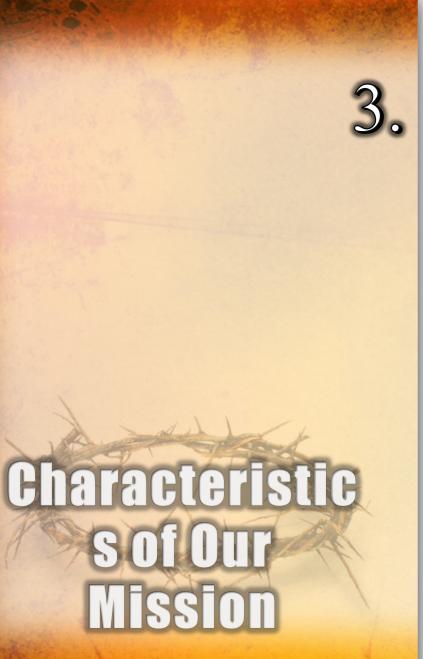
Mark 6:8-9

# **Representing Jesus**

## "For you yourselves are fully aware that the day of the Lord will come like a thief in the night."







#### Our mission is dependent.

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# The danger is...

# our self-reliance

# **Our Mission is Dependent**

"<sup>4</sup>Such is the confidence that we have through Christ toward God. <sup>5</sup>Not that we are sufficient in ourselves to claim anything as coming from us, but our sufficiency is from God, <sup>6</sup>who has made us sufficient to be ministers of a new covenant, not of the letter but of the Spirit. For the letter kills, but the Spirit gives life."





# We must ...

#### break out of the huddle

SON OF GOD.



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keep the main thing, the main thing

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· look for open doors



# We must ...

· Look for open doors

#### • Use words and deeds



# We must ...

- · look for open doors
- Use words and deeds
- Leave the results to God

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