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SERMON OUTLINE

WHEN GOD CALLS

Luke 5:1-11 | REV. LITO VILLORIA

Jesus began His ministry teaching in the synagogues of Galilee in the power of the Spirit. He went down to Capernaum and exercised His authority over unclean spirits. He also showed His power to heal people with various diseases. This sets up the authority of Jesus to call the first disciples.

On one occasion, Jesus was by the lake of Gennesaret (Sea of Galilee). The crowds were pressing in on him to hear God's word. Jesus saw two boats and asked Simon to put one out a little from the land so he could teach the people (Luke 5:1-3).

After Jesus finished speaking, He instructed Simon to put down their nets on the lake to catch fish. Simon replied, "Master, we toiled all night and took nothing! But at your word I let down the nets" (5:5). When Simon fully trusted Jesus, they caught a large number of fish that filled and almost sank the two boats (Luke 5:4-7)!

When Simon recognized the divine power of Jesus, he fell down before Him and said, "Depart from me, for I am a sinful man, O Lord" (5:8). Simon knew his rightful place and humbled himself before Jesus. James and John, the sons of Zebedee, and partners

of Simon, were also amazed at the power of Jesus (Luke 5:8-10a).

Then, Jesus said to Simon, "Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching men" (5:10b). And when the disciples brought their boats to the land, they left everything and followed Him. From this point forward, they surrendered everything to the will of God (Luke 5:10b-11).

Despite the ongoing COVID-19 surge that raised our levels of fear and anxiety, we should not lose sight of God's calling upon us. When God calls, even in our darkest hour, be confident He will provide everything we need. In this sermon, we will learn life-changing responses when God calls. ✱



ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **CONTEND FOR THE FAITH**
Jan. 10-15 (Prayer Devo)
12:30-1PM | via FB Live
Jan. 15, 2022 | 7:30-9:30AM
(GG Prayer Gathering)
- **IDMC 2022**
Equipping Ministry
Re-thinking Discipleship
Jan. 22, 2022 | 9AM-4PM
via YouTube Premiere
- **GCFSM 25TH ANNIVERSARY**
Jan. 23, 2022 | Sunday
Anniv. Worship Service 9-11AM
Anniv. Fellowship Time 1-3PM
- **USAPANG BOTOHAN**
The Hub Youth Fellowship
Jan. 29, 2022, Saturday
3:00 - 6:00 PM
- **HEROES OF FAITH**
Weekly Devotion & Prayer
Every Wednesday
7:00 - 8:00 PM
- **JOIN A GROWTH GROUP**
If you still aren't part of a growth group, we highly encourage to join one. You can get in touch with us through the GCF South Metro FB Page, GCF South Metro YouTube or email us at email@gcfsouthmetro.org