

Inspirational words (Luke chapter 9, up to 9:50)

The Man-Savior's ministry in Galilee (continued)

week of 04.14.24

He sent out the twelve (vv. 1-9)

- He called and gave them power and authority. (v. 1)
- Then sent them out to proclaim the kingdom and to heal the sick. (v. 2)

Feeding the five thousand (vv. 10-17)

- He withdrew privately into a city called Bethsaida, but the crowd followed him. (vv. 10-11)
- He spoke to them concerning the kingdom of God. (v. 11)
- And He commanded the disciples to give the crowd to eat. (v. 13)
 - They had only five loaves and two fish.
 - The crowd was made to recline in groups of about fifty each.
 - He blessed the bread and the fish.
 - The crowd ate and were satisfied. They had twelve baskets full remaining.

Recognized as the Christ

- "Who do the crowds say that I am?" (v. 18)
- Peter answered and said, **The Christ of God**. (v. 20)

Unveiling His death and resurrection the first time

- The Son of Man must suffer many things and be rejected of the elders and chief priests and scribes and be killed. (v. 22)
- **On the third day be raised**. (v. 22)
- If anyone wants to come after Me, let him deny himself and take up his cross daily and **follow Me**. Whoever wants to save his soul-life shall lose it,"
"Whoever loses his soul-life for My sake, this one shall save it." (v. 24)

Transfigured on the mountain

- He took with Him Peter and John and James and went up into the mountain to pray. (v. 28)
- His face became different, and His garment dazzling white. (v. 29)
- **This is My Son**, the Chosen One. **Hear Him!** (v. 35)

Casting a demon out of a man's son

- Jesus rebuked the unclean spirit and healed the child. (v. 42)

Unveiling His death the second time

- The Son of Man is about to be delivered into the hands of men. (v. 44)
- They did not understand this saying, and it was concealed from them so that they would not perceive it. (v. 45)

Teaching concerning humility and tolerance

- "Whoever receives this little child because of My name receives Me."
- "He who is least among you all, this one is great." (v. 48)

**** Summary of the ministry of the Man-Savior – in Galilee**

- He returned in the power of the Spirit to proclaim the Jubilee of Grace.
 - He attracted the occupied to become His disciples.
 - He had compassion with His people and visited, cleansed, healed, taught, cured, showed pity, and strengthened them.
 - He had authority to quell the storm, cast out demons, and to heal.
 - He visited His people and sent out His disciples to do the same.
 - He fed His people through His disciples.
 - He was recognized as the Christ.
 - He unveiled God's ordained way to accomplish His mission, death and resurrection.
 - He unveiled the transfiguration.
- ❖ He shows the way to carry out His ministry is through His **journeying from city to city** and from village to village, to preach and to teach. The way is **through death and resurrection**. We have an example to follow.

**** He set up an example for us to follow**

- Returned in the power of the Spirit.
- To proclaim without fear, for He is with us and we are in Him.
- Recognize that He is the one who is the authority and He is the Christ who is building the church.
- **Follow Him**, in death and resurrection, that people may have faith and hope.