

Sermon Discussion Guide - 11.21.21 - Everyday Heroes, Part 3

Scripture: *Leader's Note: Below are some of the scriptures Pastor Jon used in this week's sermon. Consider sharing this list of scripture with your group in a follow-up email after your group meets as a recommendation for further study throughout the rest of the week. Attached is a simplified version of the discussion questions with the Scripture list that can be copy/pasted into an email.*

Main Scripture:

- 1 John 2:9-11

Supporting Scripture:

- John 15:16
- Matthew 28:18-20
- Luke 10:1-12
- Luke 11:5-10

Discussion Questions:

Leader's Note: If your time is limited, or your discussions run long, focus on the two check-marked bullet points, and within them, the bolded questions. In addition to the check-marked bullet points, as time allows, use only the remaining questions that fit your group dynamic best.

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- **Read 1 John 2:9-11 and John 15:16. What does it mean to you that Jesus chose and appointed YOU to bear fruit? How do we bear fruit? If God doesn't need us to bear fruit, why does he want us involved at all?**
- What has your own involvement been in missions in the past? How has that involvement impacted you and others?
- **Read Matthew 28:18-20 and Luke 10:1-3. Does Jesus command to "go" apply to all of his followers? Do you think God has clarified to you what the call to "go" means for you personally?** If we don't know what God's call is for us, what should we do? How can we pursue God's mission when we aren't sure what he's calling us to?
- Has any person/ministry/community been on your heart in recent weeks or months? How have you responded?
- Have you prayed for guidance regarding your involvement in missions? Why/why not? What
- What action is God calling you to take this week? How can your group be praying for you?

Closing Prayer:

- Ask God to show you what further action he is calling you to right now, and for the strength and courage to respond to his call.

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