



Peel Valley Congregation

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Luke 10:1-11, 16-20 (NIV)

Jesus Sends Out the Seventy-Two

10 After this the Lord appointed seventy-two others and sent them two by two ahead of him to every town and place where he was about to go.

2 He told them, "The harvest is plentiful, but the workers are few. Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field.

3 Go! I am sending you out like lambs among wolves.

4 Do not take a purse or bag or sandals; and do not greet anyone on the road.

5 "When you enter a house, first say, 'Peace to this house.'

6 If someone who promotes peace is there, your peace will rest on them; if not, it will return to you.

7 Stay there, eating and drinking whatever they give you, for the worker deserves his wages. Do not move around from house to house.

8 "When you enter a town and are welcomed, eat what is offered to you.

9 Heal the sick who are there and tell them, 'The kingdom of God has come near to you.'

10 But when you enter a town and are not welcomed, go into its streets and say,

11 'Even the dust of your town we wipe from our feet as a warning to you. Yet be sure of this: The kingdom of God has come near.'

16 "Whoever listens to you listens to me; whoever rejects you rejects me; but whoever rejects me rejects him who sent me."

17 The seventy-two returned with joy and said, "Lord, even the demons submit to us in your name."

18 He replied, "I saw Satan fall like lightning from heaven.

19 I have given you authority to trample on snakes and scorpions and to overcome all the power of the enemy; nothing will harm you.

20 However, do not rejoice that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven."

Throw Out The Lifeline

1 Throw out the lifeline across the dark wave;

There is a brother whom someone should save;

Somebody's brother, O who then will dare

To throw out the lifeline, his peril to share?

Refrain:

Throw out the lifeline! Throw out the lifeline!

Someone is drifting away;

Throw out the lifeline! Throw out the lifeline!

Someone is sinking today.

2 Throw out the lifeline with hand quick and strong;

Why do you tarry, why linger so long?

See, he is sinking, O hasten today;

And out with the lifeboat, away, then, away!

Refrain

3 Throw out the lifeline to danger-fraught men,

Sinking in anguish where you've never been;

Winds of temptation and billows of woe

Will soon hurl them out where the dark waters flow.

Refrain

4 Soon will the season of rescue be o'er;

Soon will they drift to eternity's shore;

Haste then, my brother, no time for delay!

But throw out the lifeline and save them today.

Refrain

~Edward S. Ufford (1888)

Once you choose hope, anything's possible.

~ Christopher Reeve

Other Lectionary Reading for this week:

2 Kings 5:1-14

Psalms 30

Galatians 6:(1-6), 7-16



.... enjoy & share the gift of the friendship of Jesus



IN OUR PRAYERS



- We pray for the extended Murray family, as they mourn the loss of John.
- We also pray for others from our congregation who have recently lost loved one - Beulah Fenwick, Janet and Kevin Hicks, John Nowland.
- We pray for the many civilians in Ukraine who have been targeted by Russian shelling.
- We pray that children will enjoy the school holidays which commence this weekend.



Meg's Musings

My daughter has a saying that "visitors are like prawns; they go off after 3 days".

In some ways the gospel reading for this week lays the groundwork for being a guest:-

Give a blessing as you arrive.

Don't arrive burdened down with luggage.

Eat what you're given.

If you're not welcome, move on quickly.

These are simple, sensible rules. They are built on getting along well with the people you are with.

The rules for being a guest, and for spreading God's message overlap quite a bit. That's because the basis for both is a close relationship.

We are much better at influencing people who know us and respect us. Love and understanding are a great start - whether it be sharing a home, or sharing the gospel.

Blessing from Meg

Every house guest brings you happiness. Some when they arrive, and some when they are leaving. ~ Confucius

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD



We hope to send 25 boxes again this year.

Small toys and balls, toothbrushes etc would be much appreciated.



Fabulous Finds Op Shop @ Hallsville
Open 9:00 to 1:00pm,
Thursdays, Fridays and

CHURCH SERVICES

10 July 11 am West ~ Meg Mangan

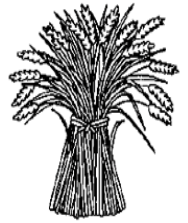


1st Sunday of the month ~ Luncheon @ West

4th Sunday of the month ~ Markets @ Hallsville

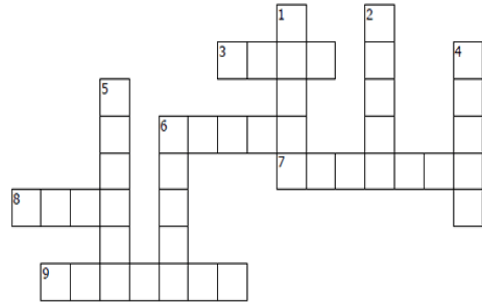


Jesus Sends Out Workers



He told them, "The harvest is plentiful, but the workers are few. Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field. Luke 10:2 (NIV)

This puzzle is based on Luke 10:1-11 (NIV)



ACROSS

- To make someone well from an illness or injury
- A small bag or pouch for carrying money
- Shoes consisting of a sole fastened to the foot by straps
- To be physically or mentally ill; not well or healthy
- The process of gathering a crop

DOWN

- The money which a person receives for working
- The area of land where a crop is planted
- A building in which a family lives
- someone who performs a particular job
- The absence of war or fighting

Smart Cars, Smart TVs
Smart Phones
**WHEN WILL THEY
START MAKING
SMART PEOPLE**

- 18 July ~ Donna Harrow
26 July ~ Beulah Fenwick
26 July ~ Sue Budden
27 July ~ Amity Debenham



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Our goal: "To be transformed communities, experiencing, enjoying & sharing the gift of the friendship of Jesus."

Mission: "Called to be Free, Gifted to Serve."



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