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**DISCIPLE**  
SERMON SERIES

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# DISCIPLE OTHERS

**Luke 14:26 (GNT)** “Those who come to me cannot be my disciples unless they love me more than they love father and mother, wife and children, brothers and sisters, and themselves as well.

“A religion that gives nothing, costs nothing, and suffers nothing, is worth nothing.” — **Martin Luther**

**Luke 5:1-11 (NIV)** One day as Jesus was standing by the Lake of Gennesaret, the people were crowding around him and listening to the word of God. He saw at the water’s edge two boats, left there by the fishermen, who were washing their nets. He got into one of the

boats, the one belonging to Simon, and asked him to put out a little from shore. Then he sat down and taught the people from the boat. When he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, “Put out into deep water, and let down the nets for a catch.”

Simon answered, “Master, we’ve worked hard all night and haven’t caught anything. But because you say so, I will let down the nets.” When they had done so, they caught such a large number of fish that their nets began to break. So they signalled their partners in the other boat to come and help them, and they came and filled both boats so full that they began to sink. When Simon Peter saw this, he fell at Jesus’ knees and said, “Go away from me, Lord; I am a sinful man!” For he and all his companions were astonished at the catch of fish they had taken, and so were James and John, the sons of Zebedee, Simon’s partners.

Then Jesus said to Simon, “Don’t be afraid; from now on you will fish for people.” So they pulled their boats up on shore, left everything and followed him.

**Matthew 28:18-20 (NLT)** Jesus came and told his disciples, “I have been given all authority in heaven and on earth. Therefore, go and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Teach these new disciples to obey all the commands I have given you. And be sure of this: I am with you always, even to the end of the age.”

*A disciple makes disciples*

## **1. Making Disciples is about** People

*So who should I be discipling?*

## **2. Making Disciples is about an** an Invitation

## **3. Making disciples is about an** an Example

“Setting an example is not the main means of influencing another, it is the only means.” — *Albert Einstein*

## **4. Making disciples is about** Trust

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