



Rooted & Reaching Sermon Series

WEEK 5

Committing to Jesus

TEXT: ACTS 13:1-3

SERMON NOTES

Personal Reflection:

What Scripture or biblical principle was central to the sermon?

Did anything in the sermon surprise you or challenge your expectations?

Daily Scripture Reading:

Isaiah 6:1-8
 Romans 10:14-15
 1 Corinthians 12:12-27
 Luke 15:1-10
 James 2:14-26

Community Groups:

ICE BREAKER:

If you could be sent on a mission anywhere in the world, where would you go and why?

Have you ever been asked to do something (voluntold) and thought, “Wait... me?”
 Share your funny story.

INTERPRETIVE QUESTIONS:

Who are the key people mentioned in this passage, and what roles do they play in the church?

How does Luke describe the role of the Holy Spirit in the passage?

How does the laying on of hands function in this context?

What does this passage suggest about the relationship between community discernment and individual calling?

Why do you think fasting, prayer, and worship are highlighted before the commissioning?

FORMATIVE QUESTIONS:

Does it seem surprising that God often takes the first step in calling and sending people? Why or why not?

Are there areas in your life where you’ve been waiting for God to call, and you haven’t noticed His guidance yet?

What might it look like for you to be “set apart” for a task or calling God is giving you?

How do you respond when God asks something that seems unexpected or challenging?

SIMPLE PRACTICE (FOR YOUR COMMUNITY GROUP):

Ask God what he is calling you to leave behind to be set apart for something he is calling you into.

- Sit and listen.
- Discern with trusted community.
- Pray for guidance to take steps and be obedient.