



August 2021

- If you are a guest with us today, we want to **WELCOME** you! If you haven't done so already, we invite you to stop by our Guest Reception Center in the lobby at the scooter table/info booth following the service. Someone will greet you, answer any questions you may have, and give you a gift as a thank-you for worshipping with us today!
- **Website and App Update:** Please give us grace this month while we update our website and app. We know crazy things are going on with our website. All of these things are part of the process of updating our site. Thanks for being so understanding!
- **Summer Worship Concerts:** Come worship with our very own band called “**Go And Tell**” @ **Worship On The Waterfront - Sunday, August 15th at 7 pm**. This concert is part of WOW's outdoor summer worship series held on the beautiful campus of Beechwood Church in Holland. General Admission is FREE! Bring your family and invite your friends! Let's pack the place with people from Grace and Ebenezer to enjoy a time of worship together with our community!
- Are you interested in being a **Rooted Group Facilitator**? Leaders are needed as we launch new groups this fall! Training sessions begin **August 23** in preparation for our October launch of Rooted Groups. *We will equip you with everything you need to facilitate a life-changing group.* Contact Pastor John (john@gracechapelzeeland.com).
- Ladies, **Sisters of Grace** (a ladies bible study group) will be starting on **Tuesday, September 14th** from 6:45-8:00 pm at the Grace campus. Sisters of Grace meets every other Tuesday for 6 weeks. This is open to all women of all ages. Please join us as we study the book, Ruth, through Right Now Media. So grab a friend and sign-up together or come on your own and meet some new friends! Please sign up by **September 5th** at the welcome table or email jen@familychurch.app.

Family Church - Weekly Services

- **Thursday at 6:30 pm** - Live Service @ **Ebenezer Campus** (5166 Ottogan St. Holland) / Pizza and Donuts served at 6pm!
- **Sunday at 9 am** – Live Service and Kids Church @ **Grace Campus** (9530 Woodbridge St. Zeeland)
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Chair 3 – The Worker

A disciple is a person _____ like and _____ for Jesus.

Matthew 4: 18-22, As Jesus was walking beside the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers, Simon called Peter and his brother Andrew. They were casting a net into the lake, for they were fishermen. "Come, follow me," Jesus said, "and I will send you out to fish for people." At once they left their nets and followed him. Going on from there, he saw two other brothers, James son of Zebedee and his brother John. They were in a boat with their father Zebedee, preparing their nets. Jesus called them, and immediately they left the boat and their father and followed him.

What do you need to _____ to follow Jesus?

Peter, Andrew, James & John left at lot to follow Jesus:

Life Application:

Grab the connection card in the seat in front of you. On the backside are all our serving teams. Check off what you are interested in and drop it in the mailbox as you exit service.

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1. Chair three challenges us to move from following to becoming fishers of men. What does this mean for you?
2. Jesus' ministry was deeply relational. He spent most of his time with His core disciples. Jesus gave His disciples the time to really get to know Him and took time to help them see how to live like Him. How can we do this with others in our culture and our lives?

READ: Matthew 4:18-22

3. Is this Jesus' first encounter with these guys?

READ: John 1:35-42

4. This passage makes it clear that Jesus was not walking along the shore one day calling out to some random guys. It also teaches us a key point, what is it?
5. Jesus' earlier investment in His disciples set the stage for the call on their lives. What would this mean if we too want to help others grow into their calling?

KEY POINT: It takes time to grow before a call to action takes place!

6. Jesus had a deep relationship with these men before He called them into action. When we step into Chair 3 what will it require from/of us?
7. Are you willing to make this commitment for another person to move forward in their relationship with Jesus?
8. The disciples left a lot, made a lot of sacrifices to follow Jesus. What do you need to leave to follow Jesus? What does this mean for the average Christian?

KEY QUESTION: What do you need to leave in order to follow Jesus?

A Quote from Pastor Adam...This is the chair where we see people moving from learning more about God, Jesus, and The Holy Spirit and into action. These people are the people who are serving inside and outside the church, teaching in kids ministry, teen ministry, café, welcome, worship, tech, greeting, ushers, etc., and they have learned being a Christian, or disciple, it not just about coming to a church one day a week and consuming great teaching, worship, and fellowship. This person has learned it is about serving, giving, and learning how to lead people to Jesus, and using their gifts for Jesus. This person is training HARD and active in the life of the church family.

9. Peter, Andrew, James & John left a lot to follow Jesus. Name a few of the things they left:

KEY POINT: It is really hard to follow God....no matter what he calls us to do!

10. We know Peter was an impulsive man and he had a tendency to quit when things went against him. What can we learn from Peter in our own calling? Or in helping another person step into their calling?

KEEP THIS IN MIND: Chair 3 is like being a distance runner it takes patient endurance. This is when we start sharing the gospel with people in chair one. This is when we begin changing the diapers of people in chair one; aka helping them learn how to get rid of the bad stuff in their lives. This when we learn how to teach others how to become like Jesus. This is when we learn how to grow people in Jesus. Chair 3 is not easy! Which is why so many people stay in chair two. But if you take the time needed, grow, and invest in others, what comes next is unlike anything else in this world! Chair 4 the disciple maker...

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