

# EVERYDAY DISCIPLE

## DISCUSSION GUIDES

### WEEK 3: WE GO

#### Read the Text

#### Luke 10:1-12

1 After this the Lord appointed seventy-two[a] others and sent them on ahead of him, two by two, into every town and place where he himself was about to go. 2 And he said to them, “The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few. Therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest. 3 Go your way; behold, I am sending you out as lambs in the midst of wolves. 4 Carry no moneybag, no knapsack, no sandals, and greet no one on the road.

#### Main Point

Every believer has a standing order to make disciples of many nations. That sounds daunting, but the truth is that we don't need to hold a seminary degree to obey this calling and we don't need to do it alone (nor should we). In fact, ***Jesus is faithful to go into our mission field both before us and after us, and He is also with us as we walk in obedience to share His name with others.***

Sadly, many of us opt out of being a witness. We may see evangelism as a job for vocational pastors, or we see it as a chore, or maybe we live in fear of being rejected. ***We become lukewarm in our evangelism because we don't have a true Christ-like love for the lost.***

But here's the good news. God will use our obedience to strengthen our faith. And the more we share His truth with others, the more we'll see that it's not as complicated as we originally thought. Evangelism is less about methods and is actually pretty simple. ***If we are to grow in our evangelism, we simply need to pray, give ourselves away, and point to His work.***

### **Reflect Together**

1. ***Who is God?***: God cares deeply for those who don't yet know Him. Why do you think He not only invites – but commands – that we join Him in reaching those who are lost?
2. ***What has He done?***: Who has God used in your life to reach you? Was there someone in particular who helped bring you to faith or help grow you in your faith? What did their acts of obedience look like in witnessing to you?
3. ***Who are you?***: What does evangelism look like in your day-to-day life? Where do you feel like you're being faithful in reaching the lost? Where do you feel like you're struggling? What do you think holds you back from sharing Jesus with others?
4. ***What are you to do?***: We talked about a "person of peace" who is a connection between you and not-yet-believers. Who is a "person of peace" in your life? What is one step you could take to pursue that person?

### **Abide Together**

As an MC, pray together about what was revealed during this discussion. Pray that you would grow together as an MC in your heart and love for those who don't yet know the love of Jesus.

### **Mission Together**

Is there an opportunity for reaching the lost that your MC could pursue together? One example is to host a game night or a craft night as an MC and invite various non-believers into that. Or host an open-house style Christmas party. What is a way you can invite persons-of-peace into your group?