

## **SERIES: EMBRACE THE MISSION**

**MESSAGE:** Why and How We Must Be Involved In  
Personal Evangelism

**TEXT:** Luke 5:17–26      **MESSAGE BY:** Pastor Tim Lewis

- I. The critical condition of the injured man.
  - A. He was a sinful man. (Rom. 3:10–12,23; Isa. 53:6)
  - B. He was separated from God by sin. (Isa. 59:2)
  - C. He was hurt by his sin. (Rom. 6:23)
  - D. He was helpless in his sin. (Isa. 64:6; Rom. 3:20; Eph. 2:8–9; Titus 3: 4–5)
  
- II. The compassionate concern of the men.
  - A. They genuinely cared.
  - B. They personally witnessed. (2 Cor. 5:11,20)
  - C. They fervently prayed. (Rom. 9:1–3; Rom. 10:1)
  - D. They boldly acted.
  
- III. The consequences in the community. (Vv. 20–25)
  - A. Sins are forgiven.
  - B. Lives are transformed.
  - C. Unbelievers are confronted.
  - D. Christ is exalted.
  - E. God is praised.