

FOUNDATIONS FOR THE FUTURE

The foundation of Jesus' disciple-making ministry as seen in Luke 9 and 10 encourages us that He is able to do "immeasurably more than we can ask or imagine" as we walk in His power and authority.



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Luke 9:1–6 and Luke 10:1, 17-20



DISCUSS IT

When was the last time you allowed yourself to dream? When was the last time you risked failing?

Pastor Shea said that foundations are important and the scriptural foundation of our vision as a church is Luke 9 and 10. What stands out to you as key foundational elements in these chapters?

Jesus was always stretching his disciples, empowering them to walk in the same power and authority that He did. How do you normally respond to being stretched? Share a time when you were stretched to share, serve, or meet the needs of others. How did stepping out of your comfort zone help you to grow in your relationship with God?

92% of people in Baltimore County (750,000 people) are not connected to a local church. How might God be inviting you to share, serve, and operate in the power and authority Jesus has given you to impact their lives?

What emotion comes to the surface when you think about going where God wants you to go, saying what God tells you to say and doing what God tells you to do?

Maintenance is a state where we neither make gains nor suffer losses. Jesus' vision for the Kingdom is that we would make exponential gains. What does it practically look like to be on mission for Jesus and not just be in maintenance mode as a church?



UNPACK IT

Reflect on what you have learned. Then, write and/or draw your thoughts below.

Pray over each area below. What is God revealing to you about where you should go, what you should do, and what you should say in each of these arenas? Write it in the chart below.



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What might prevent you from following through with what God has put on your heart?



LIVE IT

Following Jesus is a worthwhile pursuit and everything worthwhile in life requires a commitment. Each week of the Exponential series, you will craft a unique "I WILL" statement declaring a commitment you are choosing to make in your walk with Christ. After looking at the scriptural foundation of our power and authority as disciples of Christ, will you trust Him with your life and resources and go where He leads?

Example "I WILL" statements:

- · I will trust you as Lord of my life.
- I will use my resources for your purposes.
- I will give my time and use my talents to serve.
- I will go where you tell me to go, do what you tell me to do and say what you tell me to say.

Now write your own "I WILL..." statement for Week 2. You may use one of the example statements or craft your own unique statement.

I WILL...



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