

“And He Chose From Them Twelve”

Sermon Notes

- **At the heart of our 2020 Vision is a growing army of reproducing leaders, and Christ Himself set the pattern**

**Making disciples who make disciples requires...*

1. ... _____ (v.12; 2 Timothy 2:1)

2. ... _____ (v. 13; 2 Timothy 2:2;
Titus 2:3-5)

3. ... _____ (vv.14-16)

**Making disciples who make disciples means being involved in the supernatural shaping of another person's convictions, character and ministry competencies, so beginning next week and throughout the month of July we will be studying Jesus' discipleship curriculum...*

**Next Week: Luke 6:17-26 - “Making Disciples Who Make Disciples, Part 1:
Blessings & Woes”**

Community Group Study Guide
For the Week of June 25th – July 1st

Please read Luke 6:12-16.

1. Jesus spent the night praying before choosing his disciples.
 - a. Have you ever spent the night praying before an important decision?
 - b. Why do you think Jesus felt the need to pray before choosing his disciples?
 - c. Do you think the fact that Judas Iscariot was chosen as one of the twelve indicates that Jesus' prayer wasn't answered? Why or why not?
 - d. Do you think that Jesus' example is one that we should follow? Please explain your answer.

2. Verse 13 states that Jesus designated the twelve as "apostles". The term means messenger or "sent one".
 - a. Does Jesus send these men anywhere? (See Luke 9:1-6)
 - b. Does Jesus send other men anywhere? (See Luke 10:1-12)
 - c. Do you think apostle means more than "sent one"? Why or why not? (See Acts 1:22)
 - d. Were there apostles other than the twelve? Please explain your answer. (See Acts 14:14)

3. The list of the 12 apostles is different from that given by Mark (Mark 3:16-19) and Matthew (Matthew 10:2-4) and even the list that Luke later gives in Acts (Acts 1:13).
 - a. How do you account for the differences?