

January 15, 2017, Relate Study Questions

What is the hardest work you have ever done? Did you enjoy it? Why?

Relate Group Value: **Safety** – Guarding honest, open relationships with an agreement of safety – that what is said in the group will remain confidential, that opinions will be respected and differences will be allowed.

Sermon Text: Matthew 9:35-10:1

Other Relevant Scriptures: Luke 9:1-6; John 4:34-38; 1 Corinthians 3:7; Ephesians 2:8-10

Study Questions:

1. How can you work with your small group in God's harvest?
2. Do you feel the compassion of Jesus for your churchless friends and neighbors? Why or why not?
3. And if so, how does that work out in your life?
4. Have you accepted the challenge to read your Bible, pray, and obey every day? If so, how is it going?
5. How can your small group help you nurture this habit in your life?
6. Do you think the crowds in the days of Jesus are different from the crowds in our day? Do you think people in New Smyrna Beach, Edgewater, and Port Orange are "like sheep without a shepherd"? How are you impacted by the fact that Jesus had compassion for the crowds?
7. What can we do as a church to make disciples of Jesus? How can we together bring in the harvest?