

Dangerous P R A Y E R S

Send Me...November 19, 2017

Follow up from last week:

Anything you want to share with the rest of the group about your time praying Change me?

Scripture Text

Isaiah 6:1-8, Jonah 1:1-3, Exodus 3, Matthew 28:16-20, Colossians 3:17

"Lord Send me," is a dangerous prayer because God may send us in directions that are uncomfortable and ask us to do things we've never done before. But it's also one of the most courageous and rewarding prayers we can ever pray-because it can take us exactly where God wants us to be.

Connect

Name a place you'd love to be sent to and place you'd never want to be sent to. Why?

List some typical excuses people give for not going to the places-or doing the work-God calls them to.

Engage

What stood out to you from the message this week?

Which do you most lack being: captivated by God's presence, conscious of God's holiness, or changed by God's grace?

Talk about the last time you felt compelled to do something out of your norm. How did you respond? Could it have been God sending you?

Currently, do you most identify with Jonah, Moses, or Isaiah? What might be keeping you from full surrender to God?

Just like brokenness, being sent is not a one-time experience. To what or where are you being sent now?

Read Colossians 3:17

God often sends us right where he's already placed us. What makes you uniquely qualified for being sent to your home, workplace, or community?

Read Matthew 28:16-20

What has Jesus called his followers to do? What do you personally need to accomplish this? What step can you take this week to get there?

Challenge:

If you are willing to pray, God will answer. This week, commit to praying, "Here I am, send me," every day. Then, write down the people God puts on your heart throughout the week and look for opportunities to show them his love and grace.

Memorize:

Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send? And who will go for us?" "Here I am. Send me!" **Isaiah 6:8**