

The Sufficiency of Christ for Ministry - Luke 9:10-27

I. The Incredible Compassion of Christ

A. Jesus seeks rest, v. 10

B. Ministry interrupts the rest, v. 11

C. Jesus challenges the disciples to follow His example of ministry, v. 12-17

II. The Power of the Messiah, v. 18-22

A. Jesus is alone, praying, v. 18

B. Jesus seeks to clarify that He is the Savior, v. 19-20

C. Jesus reveals the Savior will suffer and overcome death, v. 21-22

III. The Terms of Being Christ's Disciple, v. 23-27

A. The Cost of Being a Disciple, v. 23

B. The denial and sacrifice of the material life, v. 24-26

C. We must follow the pattern of Christ

- What aspects of your ministry are devoid of God's strength and have become more about your image or success?
- What does your discipleship look like?
- Are you willing to follow Christ into a life of severity?

Next Week: Luke: 9:28-36