



The Renovation Project: Do as Jesus Did

Sunday Morning, September 27, 2015

Review

We began a series today entitled "The Renovation Project." When you renovate, you typically have an example you look at to guide your project. If we do a spiritual renovation - who will be our guide? Jesus! We used Matthew 9:35-38, and will for the next few weeks. Today, we talked about finding that example, and doing as Jesus did. Specifically, pray like Jesus, show compassion like Jesus, mature in faith like Jesus, and forgive like Jesus.

ICEBREAKER:

What is one thing Jesus did well that you wish you could do a better job with in your life?

QUESTIONS FOR DISCUSSION:

1. To prepare for this discussion read out loud Matthew 9:35-38.
2. When you think about doing as Jesus did - what was it he did in these verses? Which would be easier to do and harder to do? Why?

3. Since we can't heal people - how do we do as he did?
4. We gave a non-exhaustive list last week of several things Jesus did that we should try and emulate. Some were:
 - a. Pray - Read John 11:41 - what one quality from this verse do you think we all need to have in our prayers?
 - b. Compassion - Read Matthew 14:14. What are ways we can show compassion to the masses like Jesus did?
 - c. John 4 talks about the Samaritan woman. How did He have compassion on her?
 - d. Mark 6:34 - how do we show the same kind of care today?
 - e. How do we make sure we are following the Luke 2:52 example?
 - f. Luke 7:36ff talks about forgiveness. What is the hardest part about forgiving someone.
5. Read John 13:15 - what do you need to work on so you can do as Jesus did?