

# Luke

Week 4 - Jesus Calls His Disciples

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## Get alone and pray

*"Incline my heart to Your testimonies,"* Psalm 119:36

### Read Luke 5:1-6:16

Aside from Jesus, what leader from the bible do you admire? What character qualities do they possess that would make you want to follow them?

## Gaze

Looking intently at the word and writing what you see.

Using the below outline, write at least 4 facts from each section of scripture.

I. **Luke 5:1-11**

II. **Luke 5:12-16**

III. **Luke 5:17-26**

IV. **Luke 5:27-38**

V. **Luke 6:1-16**

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What do you learn about God, Jesus, and the Holy Spirit from this week's reading?

What topics or themes do you see? (TIP: repetitive words and phrases helps to identify a theme)

**MEMORY VERSE:** "Don't be afraid," Jesus told Simon. "From now on you will be catching people."  
Luke 5:10b

### *Guide Your Heart*

Asking questions of the text, and of yourself in light of the text

1. In **chapter 5**, there is much reference to "the crowd". Circle the word and note how many times you see it in the chapter.

What does this tell you about Jesus' ministry? What challenges might occur for Jesus and the people?

2. Why does Peter say to Jesus, "Go away from me, because I'm a sinful man, Lord!"?

Look up the below verses. How do they relate to Peter's experience?

**Isaiah 6:5**

**Hebrews 4:13**

**Jeremiah 23:24**

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3. Has there been a time in your life when you similarly responded as Peter in **Luke 5:8**? Explain.

How does Jesus' response to Peter's confession encourage you?

4. Using the chart below, what healings take place in **chapter 5** and **6**?

DISEASE	HEALING	AUTHORITY JESUS DEMONSTRATED

5. How was each person's faith in Jesus revealed in the above? See **Hebrews 11:1** for support.

How is your own faith in Christ being revealed today? (consider areas of conflict, health, marriage, singleness, motherhood, etc...)

6. What was the opinion Jewish society held for tax collectors? Look up the below verses and note your findings.

**Luke 18:11**

**Matthew 21:32**

**Matthew 18:17**

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What does Jesus selection of Levi for a disciple teach us about God? How might this truth encourage you or someone you know?

7. What do you think Jesus means by "And no one puts new wine into old wineskins..." ? See **Galatians 4:3-5** and **Philippians 3:2-14** L
8. **Luke 6:1-11** focuses on a couple of incidents that happened on the Jewish Sabbath. What Old Testament law did the Pharisees think Jesus and His disciples were breaking? See **Exodus 20:10**

How did Jesus respond to the scribes and Pharisees:

**V. 3-5**

**V. 9-10**

Why were the Pharisees "filled with rage" in **Luke 6:11**? See **Matthew 23** for support.

9. What are the dangers of thinking that you are spiritually healthy, rather than spiritually sick?
10. Who are the men Jesus chose to be His followers? Compare Luke's list with **Mark 3:13-19**. Do any of the Twelve go by other names?

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How does the background of the original twelve disciples personally encourage you?

### Glean

Write the spiritual lessons you see from this week's study.

### Go and Obey

Where is God calling you to obedience? Spend a moment to pray and ask the Lord to show you where there needs to be a change in your thinking, speech or conduct.

This week's prayer request:



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Week 4 - Notes

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