SERMON OUTLINE & DISCUSSION QUESTIONS AUGUST 27, 2023

SELECTED FOR SENDING OUT LUKE 6:12-16

MAIN THOUGHT & OUTLINE

To build His Church, the sent-out Jesus first seeks His Father and then selects the Twelve He will shape and send out.

- **I.** The Sent-Out Jesus Seeks the Father (v.12)
- II. The Sent-Out Jesus Selects the Twelve He Will Shape & Send Out (v.13-16)

QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION & DISCUSSION

- 1. Why is prayer hard? What help does God promise for prayer? What heart blocks are there to your prayer life that need to be removed by the power of God?
- 2. How have you prayed for leaders in the church? Have you prayed for future leaders? What does this passage teach you about how you can pray for them?
- **3.** How have you hindered your service to the church by comparing yourself to others? What correction does this text provide?
- **4.** Covenant children do you pray for your pastor and elders? Why should you want to do that?

FURTHER READING: 1 Timothy 3:1-13; Titus 1:5-9; James 4:2; Revelation 21:14; Acts 4:13; John 6:70; Jude 25