

1. Take a moment and share ways that you have served your city / town / village, for the cause of Jesus Christ.
  - a. Consider GROUP projects / events you've contributed to - as well as things you do as an INDIVIDUAL - that ultimately serve your community.
  - b. Have any of your efforts led to someone coming to faith in Jesus? Please share.
  
2. As we observed this summary of Jesus' ministry in "cities and villages" – what sticks out to you the most?
  - a. Is there anything that you were particularly challenged by? Why?
  
3. Our natural reaction when we watch Jesus minister can be something like this... "Well, Jesus was God, and I'm not Jesus, so I can't do what He did."
  - a. Do you agree or disagree with that sentiment? Explain.
  - b. What can be the negative results of a response like that?
  
4. What is YOUR biggest barrier to "serving your city" like Jesus served those He entered?
  - a. Are there any fears that stop you? Anxieties? Worries?
  - b. Is it the busyness of life and feeling like you "don't have time" for it?
  - c. Is it a matter of low, self-confidence or lack of encouragement?
    - i. Whatever it is, it's important to identify it so you can begin to overcome it and be a part of what God wants to do through you!
  
5. Jesus' heart broke for those who were, v. 36 – "harassed & helpless, like sheep without a shepherd."
  - a. What breaks your heart?
  - b. What makes you "moved with compassion?"
  - c. How have you responded to that?
  
6. How would you describe your prayer life, specifically regarding "the harvest?"
  - a. Do you pray for yourself & other laborers to be sent out?
  - b. Do you ask for compassion for "lost sheep" and for boldness to find them & share with them?
  - c. What tool(s) do you need to use in order to increase prayers for the harvest and its laborers?
  
7. What is YOUR next step in "serving your city (town/village)?" Who's going to encourage you & hold you accountable?