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- 1) Have there been demanding times in your life that are similar to what Jesus and the Apostles experienced in Mark 6? In what ways can serving other people be physically and emotionally draining?
- 2) Why do you think that Jesus was so committed to serving others even when he had other plans of rest for him and his disciples?
- 3) Pastor Chad discussed cat and dog theology on Sunday. Explain cat and dog theology and how they are different. In what ways do we fall into being catlike in our practice? What kind of theology is Jesus and his disciples practicing in the Mark 6 text?
- 4) Read 2 Corinthians 5:11-20 and Acts 20:17-24. List the ways in which Paul displays a dog theology life?
- 5) In 2 Corinthians 5:20, Paul describes himself as an ambassador. Think about the roles and responsibilities of ambassadors. In what ways should the Christian life be a metaphor for being an ambassador?
- 6) Read 2 Timothy 2:4. What instruction does Paul give to Timothy? Paul makes the distinction between civilian and soldier. What point is Paul trying to make?

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7) Think of practical illustrations of how Christians in your group serve or can serve as ambassadors or soldiers to advance the kingdom of God.

Pray for one another and UCM that God would challenge us to become more serious as a church about embracing our roles as ambassadors and soldiers as we mobilize our lives and resources for His kingdom.

UNITED IN CHRIST

We are an international community from diverse backgrounds, cultures, and denominations bound together by our common commitment to exalt the person and work of Jesus Christ.

CENTERED ON THE GOSPEL

In all things, we proclaim and live out the good news of what God has done and is doing in Christ.

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ROOTED IN SCRIPTURE

We devote ourselves to understanding, obeying, and delighting in God's Word.

CALLED TO RENEWAL

We seek to cultivate Spirit-empowered restoration and transformation in our communities.