"Pray for... God to Shine" – Matthew 9:35-38
Missions Month: Pray Earnestly!
Sunday Morning, November 24, 2019
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Pray for ... God to Shine in the _____ (vv. 35-38)

The church is most faithful to God's _____

when God is at the center of our _____

I. Go _____ God

God's _____ is _____ to me

This is what God _____ so I will _____ him

II. Go _____ God

God's _____ is _____ for me

This is where God _____ so I will _____ him

III. Go _____ God

God's _____ is _____ upon me

This is who God _____ so I will _____ him

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For...

11/3	*...Compassion to See*
11/10	*...Workers to Send*
11/17	*...Grace to Share*
11/24	***...God to Shine***

Parallel passages:
Mark 6:34; Luke 10:2

It is God's *mission:* his kingdom, his Gospel, his harvest field, his people, his compassion, his compulsion, his grace and his glory ... when our *movement* clearly puts him at the center.

1 Corinthians 10:31; 1 Peter 4:11; Colossians 3:17; Romans 11:36

I. Obedience to God happens when we find his *guidance valuable.*

Exodus 20:3-12, 18-19, 21; Ephesians 6:1-3; Proverbs 22:6

II. Confidence in God happens when you find his *greatness* is *sufficient* and decide to *join* him where he *goes.*

Exodus 20:1-2, 20; 3:12; 1 Peter 4:12-19; Matthew 1:22-23

III. Transformation happens as you see God's *goodness* and it starts *working* in you. You not only *love* God but become like him. You glorify God AND enjoy him, forever (*Shorter Catechism*, Q 1).

Psalm 73:21-28; John 17:20-24 Deuteronomy 30; Matthew 1:21; 10:37-40; 16:24-26

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