

Sermon Notes: Luke 5:1-16
Jesus Changes Lives

MAIN POINT: Jesus changes lives.

4 Steps of Jesus Changing a Life

1. **Encounter the holiness of Christ.**
(Luke 5:1-7, 12a)

2. **Confess our sin to Christ.**
(Luke 5:8-10, 12b)

3. **Receive mercy & grace from Christ.**
(Luke 5:10b, 13)

4. **Begin to live for Christ.**
(Luke 5:10c, 14-16)

Next Week's Sermon: Luke 5:17-23

SERMON DISCUSSION GUIDE

We encourage you to take some time this week with your family, friends, or by yourself to review and apply the sermon through these questions.

REVIEW

1. In these verses, how did these people react to Jesus and why?
 - Simon (Luke 5:8)
 - The Leper (Luke 5:12)
2. How did Jesus respond to these people and why?
 - Simon (Luke 5:10)
 - The Leper (Luke 5:13)
3. How are these two stories a picture of the gospel and salvation?

APPLICATION

4. In what ways are the elements of how Simon and the lepers were changed by Jesus similar to how Jesus has changed you?
 - Encountering Jesus
 - Confessing their need for Jesus
 - Being changed by Jesus
5. How can you share the stories of Jesus changing lives with others around you?