

**The Malnutrition of the Multitudes**  
**Luke 5:1-11 November 24th, 2019**

Far too often what people \_\_\_\_\_ and what people \_\_\_\_\_ are two opposing things.

Notice the reason the people “pressed” around Jesus - “To hear the Word of God”. They knew that what they needed most was to \_\_\_\_\_!

To the degree you \_\_\_\_\_ your life to Jesus, to that same degree He will use your life to \_\_\_\_\_ to the multitudes!

Obedying Jesus often goes against popular \_\_\_\_\_, natural \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ or even political correctness.

This is usually how you can tell if someone has truly been in God’s prescience... They are not full of arrogance, but \_\_\_\_\_ and an awareness of their \_\_\_\_\_ and shortcomings.

Here is the true test of the condition of a man’s heart. What is his \_\_\_\_\_ to God’s presence?

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**Growth Group Discussion Questions**

(Complete at home on separate sheet of paper if needed)

- 1.) What are some unbiblical motivations in attending a church or following Jesus?
  
- 2.) What are some good and biblical reasons for attending a church or following Jesus?
  
- 3.) Read Sunday’s text: Luke 5:1-11. What are some important things you learn in this text about Jesus Christ?
  
- 4.) Look up the following verses and discuss how they apply to Sunday’s text: (Compare Luke 5:8 with Isaiah 6:5 and Job 42:6; Compare Luke 5:11 with the following verses and find the common ground as well as identify the differences Mark 2:14; 8:34; 10:21; Matt 16:24; 19:21; John 10:27; 12:26; How does Isaiah 55 relate to today’s text?)
  
- 5.) What are some other striking things that stand out to you about this story? What are some of the most important biblical truths found in this text that you personally need to remember, embrace and practice? What must change in your life as a result of this study? Be specific!
  
- 6.) Do you have any final questions or comments about today’s text? Take some time to take prayer requests and pray for one another.