

# ***My World***

## ***Part 1: Why Should I Wake Up On Monday Morning? Luke 4:14-30***

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*Main Point: Your Mission Drives Your Life!*

### ***I. Jesus Declares His Mission (4:14-21)***

- A. Jesus Will Preach the Gospel
  
- B. Jesus Will Bring Salvation
  
- C. Jesus Will Proclaim Jubilee

### ***II. The People Express Their Reaction (4:22)***

### ***III. Jesus Forces His Response (4:23-27)***

### ***IV. The People Respond (4:28-30)***

### ***V. I Have A Mission!***

- A. Because I have a life-defining relationship with Jesus...
  
- B. ...My mission connects people to Jesus' mission
  
- C. My mission touches globally while concentrating locally
  
- D. My mission defines and drives my life

## ***Fellowship Group Homework and Discussion***

### **Getting Started**

1. What was one of the biggest accomplishments of your life? How did you intentionally and purposefully get to that point?
  
2. What thought from last week's sermon impacted you the most? Why?

### **Going Deeper**

3. Read Exodus 2:21-22; 3:1.  
What was Moses' foundation and main priorities during the 40 years that he was a shepherd?
  
4. Read Exodus 3:1-4:17  
God is re-prioritizing Moses' life.
  - What new priorities does God want Moses to have?
  
  - What old priorities (excuses) does Moses struggle to give up?

5. God has a new mission for Moses. Read Exodus 11:10-15. How does Moses still reflect the priorities of his old life in this passage?
6. Read Numbers 14:11-19. How does Moses demonstrate his acceptance of God's mission for him in this passage?
7. We are not always tempted with bad things. Often, we are tempted with good things that keep us from the best things. The following items are good foundations and priorities that might keep us from the best. Which would be most evident in your life? How?
  - Family
  - Security
  - Control
  - Acceptance/Love
8. Read Luke 18:18-30. What would it cost the Rich Ruler to accept God's mission for his life?
9. What might it cost you to accept God's mission for your life?
10. There are nine excellent questions to ask every time we study a passage of Scripture. Some of them will apply better to one passage while others will apply to another. Pick one of these questions to answer based upon this sermon and your study.
  - Is there an example for me to follow?
  - Is there a sin to avoid?
  - Is there a promise to claim?
  - Is there a prayer to repeat?
  - Is there a command to obey?
  - Is there a condition to meet?
  - Is there a verse to memorize?
  - Is there a doctrine to believe?
  - Is there a challenge to face?
11. What attribute of God emerges from this passage or study? Make sure to worship God for that attribute in your time of prayer.
12. Is there anything in your life that if God asked you to give up, you would be unwilling? What is it?

**For Deeper Application**

*Sharing from this section is much more personal and is always voluntary. Only share the answer to this question if you feel comfortable doing so.*