

Jesus Loves Seattle What on Earth Am I Here For? Pastor Ryan Bunbury Luke 5:1-11 October 20, 2019

THREE PURPOSEFUL REFLECTIONS:

I. PETER SAW A BOAT , JESUS SAW A PLATFORM .

He noticed two boats tied up. The fisherman had just left them and were out scrubbing their nets. HE CLIMBED INTO THE BOAT that was Simon's... - Luke 5:2-3a MSG

"The latter glory of this house WILL BE GREATER than the former."

- The Lord, Haggai 2:9 NASB

USING THE BOAT FOR A PULPIT, he taught the crowd.

- Luke 5:3b MSG
- HOW can my life be used in Seattle as a platform to help people find and follow Jesus?

THREE PURPOSEFUL REFLECTIONS:

II. PETER SAW <u>WITH MAN'S EYES,</u> JESUS SAW WITH GOD'S.

"As the heavens are higher than the earth, so are MY WAYS HIGHER THAN YOUR WAYS and my thoughts than your thoughts."

- God, Isaiah 55:9 NIV
- "LAUNCH OUT INTO THE DEEP and let down your nets for a catch."
- Jesus, Luke 5:4 NKJV
- WHAT is Jesus is asking you to trust Him with...again?
- "Master, we've been fishing hard all night and haven't caught even a minnow. BUT IF YOU SAY SO, I'LL LET OUT THE NETS."
- Peter, Luke 5:5 MSG

It was no sooner said than done – a huge haul of fish, straining the nets PAST CAPACITY... - Luke 5:6 MSG

THREE Ways to Launch Out in Faith and Go Deeper:

- 1) Prayer @ Calvary | Wednesdays at 6 PM
- 2) Small Group Bible Studies | Sundays at 9 AM
- 3) Generous Community Outreach | JLS Hope Bags

THREE PURPOSEFUL REFLECTIONS:

III. PETER SAW <u>A DEAD END</u>, JESUS SAW <u>A NEW</u>
<u>BEGINNING</u>.

"Master, leave. I'M A SINNER AND CAN'T handle this holiness. Leave me to myself." - Luke 5:8 MSG

It's IN CHRIST that we find out WHO we are and WHAT we are living for. - Ephesians 1:11a MSG

"SEE, I'm doing a NEW THING! - God, Isaiah 43:19 NIV If anyone is IN CHRIST, he is a NEW CREATION; the old has gone, THE NEW HAS COME! - 1 Cor. 5:17 NIV

"Don't be afraid. FROM NOW ON you will catch men."

- Jesus, Luke 5:10 NIV

"I make ALL THINGS NEW." - God, Rev. 21:5 JKV They...followed him [Jesus]. - Luke 5:11 MSG