



RECOGNIZING HIS VOICE  
IN A WORLD FULL OF NOISE

# HEARING GOD

## Hearing God: Living on Mission

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### WARM UP

When you think of the word "evangelism," what images come to mind?

### INTRODUCTION

We all have ideas of what evangelism looks like, but God's picture might be more simple. Evangelism is living on mission for Jesus every day. In Luke 7, Jesus tells us three parables: the parable of the lost sheep, the parable of the lost coin, and the parable of the lost son. Today, let's look at what we learn from these parables and talk about what it means to live on mission for God.

### DISCUSSION

*These questions are a guide. Please select the ones that will work best for your group. You do not have to discuss them all.*

1. Read Luke 7:15, 10, and 24. What is Jesus emphasizing in each parable?
2. Do you have a passion and joy for reaching people for Christ? Explain.
3. What are some of the barriers we have to living on mission every day?
4. During the message, Pastor Steve said, "Evangelism is not just something we do; it's how we live our lives." What do you think that statement means?
5. The first step to living on mission is to believe that God wants to use you. Why is this important?
6. Read 2 Corinthians 5:20. What do you think it means to be an "ambassador for Christ"?
7. How well does the phrase "ambassador for Christ" describe you? How could you grow in this area?
8. The second step to living on mission is to pray. Why is prayer necessary?
9. Finally, to live on mission, we must invest in others. Why is this important?
10. What are some practical ways we can invest in the people around us and show them God's love?

### APPLICATION

Take a moment to ask yourself: Who is one person God wants you to reach for Him?

Now, who are you thinking of, and what's something you can do this week to invest in this person?

### PRAYER

- Pray for the people your Small Group mentions in the application question above. Pray for God to turn their hearts to Him.
- Pray for every person in your Small Group to catch God's heart for the lost.
- Take prayer requests and pray for any needs in the group.