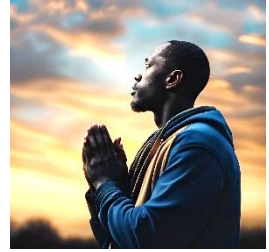


# Prayer Retreats for Kingdom Advances

*MK 1:14-45; 8:32-28*

## INTRODUCTION:

What is the \_\_\_\_\_ for my life?



✪ Following Jesus means \_\_\_\_\_ myself to the Father's will, no matter the plan, the path or the outcome.

1. Jesus \_\_\_\_\_ demons from declaring who he was. (*1:25; 1:34; also 3:11*)
2. Jesus \_\_\_\_\_ to pray by himself in the wilderness. (*1:35-39*) (#36 → *MT 4:23-25; LK 4:42-44*)
  - a. Simon and the disciples were \_\_\_\_\_ for Jesus.
  - b. The crowds were \_\_\_\_\_ for Jesus.
  - c. Jesus prays in the quiet places and states his true \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Jesus instructed the leper to say \_\_\_\_\_ to anyone else. (*1:43; see also 5:43; 7:36; 8:26*)

## Q: Why? →

- a. And yet the leper \_\_\_\_\_ freely and spread the news. (*1:45*)

## Q: Did the leper disobey Jesus? →

- b. And Jesus could no longer openly \_\_\_\_\_ into the towns. (*1:45*)

## CONCLUSION:

- \_\_\_\_\_ allows us to clarify the goals, remain humble, and to refresh our spirits.
  - It \_\_\_\_\_ *me* for more following.
  - It brings *me* into the \_\_\_\_\_ of the Triune God.
  - It \_\_\_\_\_ God by healing *me* and cleansing *my* soul.

*Ultimately, if Jesus needed to pray, \_\_\_\_\_.*