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Week of November 22, 2026

A Very Good Place to Start

Matthew 4:12-25

I. The Light (Matthew 4:12–17)

1. Our King _____ _____ to the very place the _____ _____.
   Isaiah 9:1–2; 2 Kings 15:29

2. Our Mighty God has come _____ to _____.
   Isaiah 9:6–7; Matthew 4:17

II. The Call (Matthew 4:18–22)

1. Our King calls _____ _____.
   1 Samuel 22:2; Acts 4:13

2. Our King _____ what He _____.
   Matthew 4:19; 2 Corinthians 5:17

Follow Me

3. Our King's call is _____, but it's _____ it.
   Luke 14:27–33; Matthew 13:44

The Big Idea

Becoming someone who fishes for people starts with _____ _____ Jesus and _____ more _____ Him.

Memory Verse
"Follow me, and I will make you fishers of men."
Matthew 4:19 (ESV)

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MY NEXT STEP IS TO. . .

- ○ Trust Jesus and begin following Him as my Lord and Savior for the first time today.
- ○ Memorize Matthew 4:19.
- ○ Bring an area where I feel unqualified to Jesus, and trust Him to make me what He's called me to be.
- ○ Set aside unhurried time with Jesus each day this week, in His Word and in prayer.
- ○ Pray for one person who will be at my Thanksgiving table this week, and look for an opportunity to share what following Jesus means to me.

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Becoming someone who fishes for people starts with being with Jesus and becoming more like Him.

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