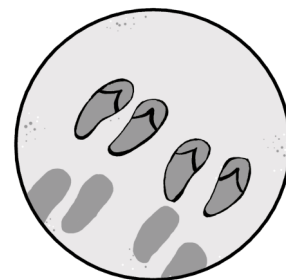


Lesson #2-21**JESUS SENDS THE TWELVE**

Mark 6:1-29

**Key Verse:**

[Jesus] called the twelve and began to send them out two by two, and gave them authority over the unclean spirits.

Mark 6:7

The Point:

We are to spread the good news of the kingdom.

Unit Theme (January 21—February 11)

The Power of the Kingdom

PRAYER REQUESTS

Pray for others.

Supplies:

- † Box
- † Poster board
- † Markers or pens
- † Construction paper
- † Scissors
- † Tape or glue
- † Slips of paper
- † Optional: art supplies to decorate the box

Preparation:

1. This activity was written for adult small groups to pray for congregational concerns. It is recommended that you get permission from the appropriate leadership. If you wish to pray for a different group (your class or even your family), adjust the instructions accordingly.

Instructions:

1. The faith practice for the next few weeks is to receive prayer requests from the rest of your congregation and pray for them. Today you will make a box to receive the prayer requests.
2. Cover a box with paper. Write “Prayer Requests” on each side, then tape or glue them on. Cut a slot in the top of the box.
3. Pick a volunteer from the group to publicize the prayer request box in worship, worship bulletin, social media, or elsewhere. Encourage congregation members to write their prayer requests on slips of paper and put them in the box. Over the next few weeks, pray for the requests as a group.