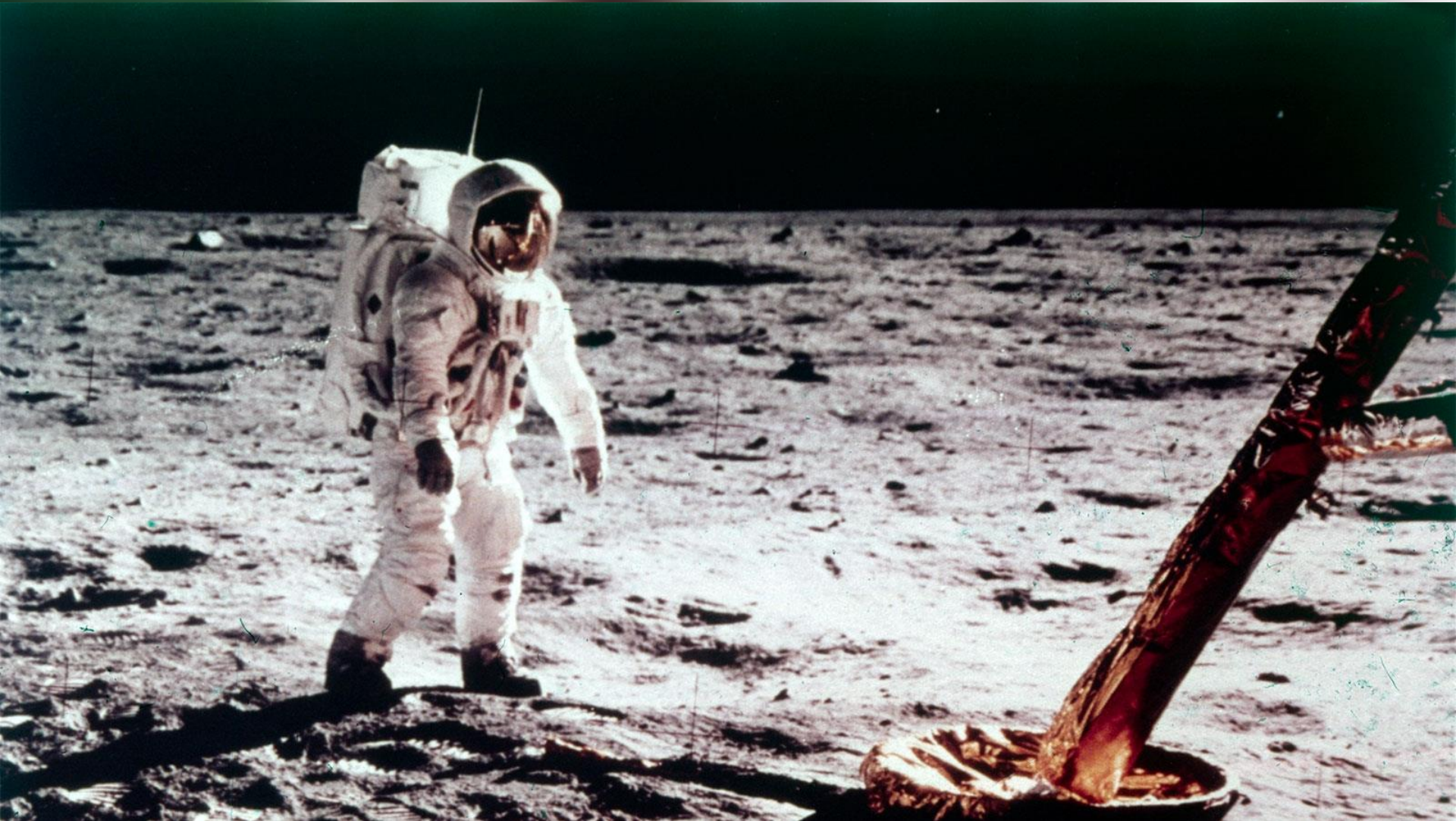


**The Audacious
Heart of the Good
Shepherd**

Luke 10:1-3

An Audacious Plan



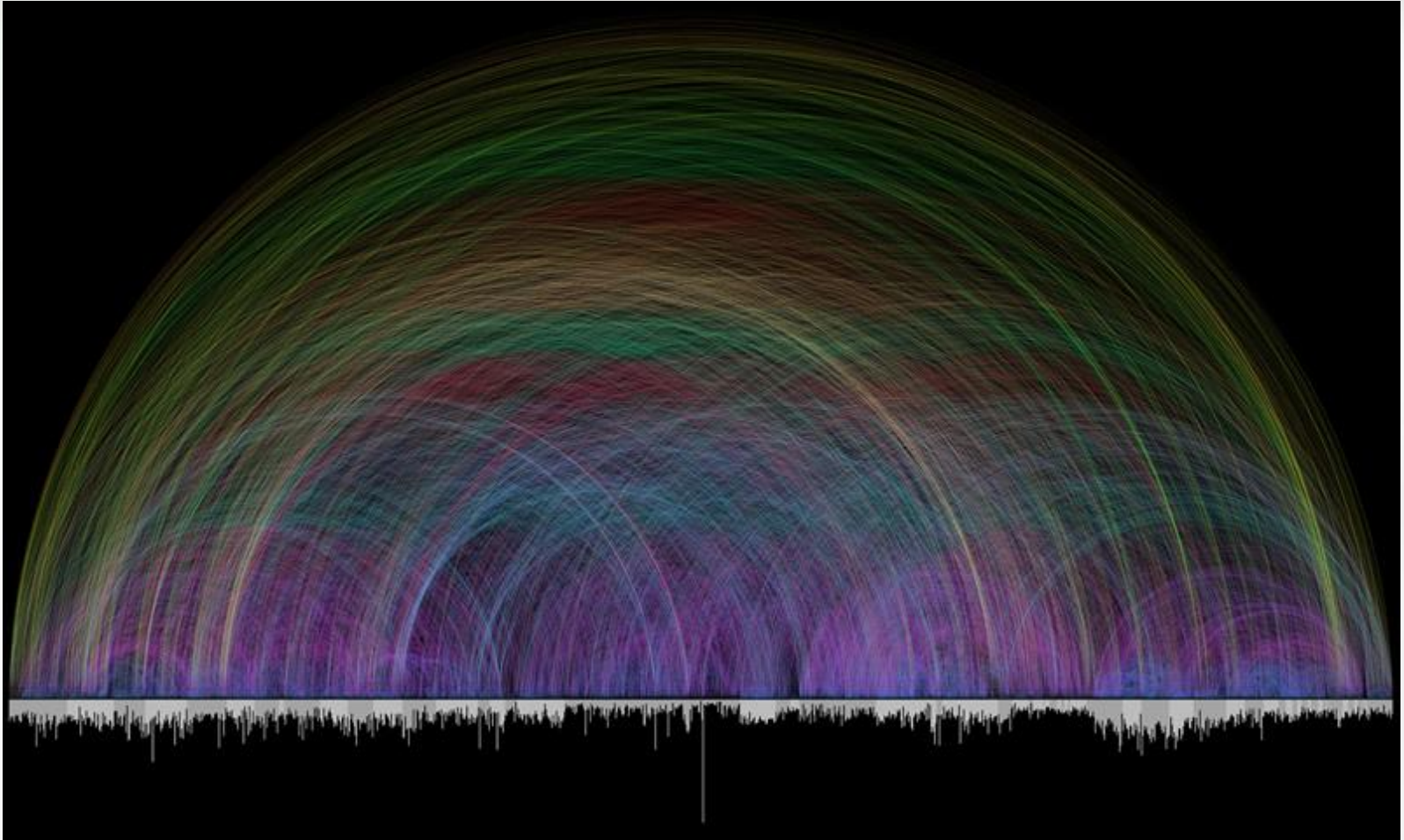
Luke 10:1-3 Sending Out the Seventy

¹After this, the Lord appointed 70 others, and He sent them ahead of Him in pairs to every town and place where He Himself was about to go. ²He told them: “The harvest is abundant, but the workers are few. Therefore, pray to the Lord of the harvest to send out workers into His harvest. ³Now go; I’m sending you out like lambs among wolves. Luke 10:1-3 HCSB

3 Short Verses - Vivid Imagery

- Jesus sent out 70 in pairs **AHEAD** of him to places where he himself would go
- Jesus gave us a rare prayer request. He asked us to pray for workers
- Jesus, the Good Shepherd, sends us out as lambs **AMONG** wolves

Is this an isolated theme?



What is the Context?

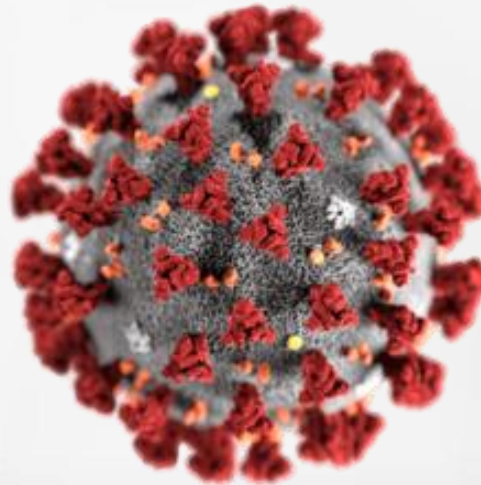
- Commissioning the 12
- Herod's desire to see Jesus
- Feeding the 5,000
- Peter's Confession of the Messiah
- His Death and Resurrection predicted
- Take up your Cross
- The Transfiguration
- The Power of Faith over a Demon
- The Second Prediction of His Death
- Who is the Greatest?
- In His Name
- The Journey to Jerusalem
- Following Jesus

Disciple Making

- Jesus didn't send people alone
- Disciple making is a partnership where God invites us to join him in his mission
- Disciple making is not a chore, it is a lifestyle

Workers in the harvest

- The harvest will not bring itself in
- Where will the workers come from?
- Jesus prayer request
- The 10:2b Virus



What was Jesus Thinking???

- What kind of shepherd sends lambs out among wolves?
- The good shepherd cares for lost sheep
- Sheep are not very good at finding lost sheep
- Wolves are great at finding lost sheep
- Wolves will lead us to lost sheep

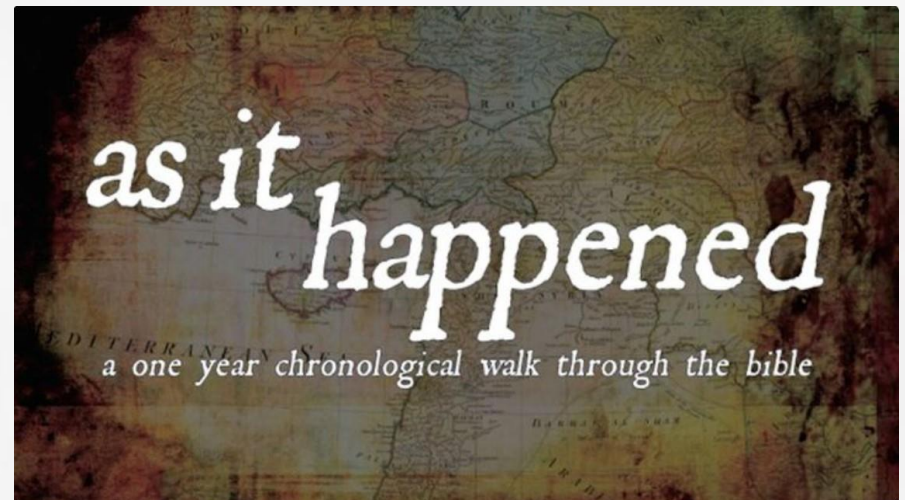


What Does a Disciple Making Community Look Like?

- Disciples go out accompanied by the Holy Spirit who does the heavy lifting
- Disciples make disciples – Workers come from the harvest
- Disciples turn the enemy's plan to use wolves to destroy lost sheep on it's head and exploit the wolves natural instincts to find lost sheep and return them to the fold

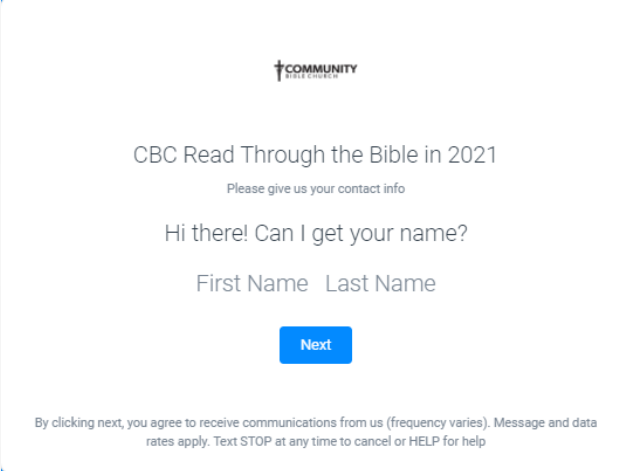
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- Tomorrow morning you will get a text with instructions how to install Bible.com and friend Harold Kress who will invite you to join the group
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