

# Seaside's Coming Events

Sermon Series: One Life Changed the World  
Message #12 Luke 6:12-26

Seaside Community Church  
July 17, 2011

## One Service

**August 7, 14, 21, 28 and Sept. 4**

For the end of the Summer Seaside Community Church will be having only ONE SERVICE at 10am. Come join as we all gather together to Worship and Study Luke.

## Seaside Family Picnic

**August 7<sup>th</sup>**

Join us right after church in the Sowers Park for a family picnic. Bring your own lunch, a chair or blanket, bocce ball, horseshoes, a football, or any game you enjoy to play. We will provide water bottles, bathrooms, and fellowship.

## Connecting With Your Life Purpose

**July 29<sup>th</sup>**

**DISCOVER YOUR LIFE PURPOSE** - 4-7 p.m. at the Leiman's. Join us for this fast paced evening where you will get a chance to learn how God created you uniquely to make a difference. Dinner included. Talk to Grant or fill out a connection card It will be at Lon & Julie Leiman's (20752 Hopetown Ln, HB).

## Jr High and High School Outreach in July

Attention Jr High and High School parents: Our outreach opportunity this month is Christmas in July: Operation Christmas Child. You and your child can put together a shoebox filled with goodies for a child in need. Contact Cindy Phan at [misscindyphan@gmail.com](mailto:misscindyphan@gmail.com)

## Africa Missions Trip

**Pray for the team they return July 22nd**

## EPIC Jr. High Summer Camp

**August 22-26**

## Family Camp

**Sept 16-18**

## Men's Camp

**Oct 14-16**

## BAND OF BROTHERS

### Who are these guys?

**Luke 6:12-16**

1. They are the ones Jesus prays for  
**Hebrews 7:25; 1 John 2:1**
2. They are followers (disciples)
3. They are chosen  
**Ephesians 1:11-12**
4. They become the foundation of a new work (#12)  
**Ephesians 2:20**
5. They are the sent ones (apostles)
6. They are the unqualified who Jesus qualifies

### What are their valued characteristics? **Vs. 17-26**

- A deep dependence on God vs. 20, 24  
**Psalms 51:17**
- A deep hunger for God vs. 21, 25  
**Psalms 63:1**
- A deep sorrow over my condition vs. 21, 25
- A deep devotion to God vs. 22-23, 26

## Personal Growth Homework

Use this as a tool in your personal study throughout the week

**For the week of July 17, 2011**

Luke 6:12-26

### Exploring the Scriptures

1. Jesus called the Twelve not just to learn and recite like the rabbis' disciples, but to go on a lifelong mission of sharing his love and power with a desperate world. See Matthew 28:16-20. Are you willing to be used by God as well as spending time in learning?

2. As with the apostles, God looked beyond external attributes when choosing David to be king of Israel (1 Samuel 16:7). What do you think he looks for when choosing a disciple? (See 1 Chronicles 28:9.) Are these qualities inborn or learned? What does it mean to have a heart for God?

3. Jesus specifically chose the Twelve (John 15:1-16) out of a very large group of disciples, even though they were hot-tempered, had weak faith and were largely clueless. Read Mark 3:31-35. What do these verses say about Jesus' criteria for building his "family"? How do you fit in this scenario?

4. Read the blessings in Luke 6:20-23 and compare them with the larger list in Matthew 5:1-12. Which of these speak the most to you? Do you experience God's favor when you sacrifice for him?

5. List the self-denial and results promised by Jesus for his disciples in Luke 6:20-23 and the indulgent opposites in Luke 6:24-26. Reflect on these two lists and decide whether or not you are willing to take Jesus' road of discipleship. If not, ask God for new insight and strength. See Philippians 3:7-9.