

**Title: Luke 10 T Blessing**

**Welcome**

Host to welcome people, especially new members.

**Worship**

Lead a time of worship. Ps 1 may be helpful. Ask people to give thanks for anything they have received from or experienced of God over the past week. How have you been blessed this week? If you have musical gifts singing could be an option.

**Word**

Read Luke 10v1-9

1. What is the harvest Jesus is talking about here?
2. Who are the workers? Is it fair to say that the intended workers were also the hearers of Jesus' message?
3. Is it legitimate to apply this passage to the task of mission and evangelism today?
4. Why would the Good Shepherd send out lambs among wolves? What's the meaning of this simile?
5. Why did Jesus tell his disciples not to take any baggage, and not to greet anyone? Thinking about our mission in Malvern (or wherever we go locally), does this have any application or translation for us?
6. What does Jesus mean in v6 and 7?
7. What do the following passages show us about the nature of God's blessings? Gen 1v28 Ps 33v12 Ps 133v1 Eph 1v3
8. What effect, if any, do you think that blessing (or cursing) by men has? E.g. Gen 27v27-29, 1 Peter 3v9
9. How can we pray for peace and blessing on the people we meet and the places we visit?
10. Jer 29v7 1 Tim 2v1-3

11. How can we build this habit into our daily lives and it not be just one more thing to add to our prayer list?

**Witness**

Pray & ask the Holy Spirit to show you how study might affect your everyday lives

Practice by blessing one another in your home group, i.e. get into 2s or 3s and pray a blessing onto each other.

Pray a blessing onto someone you will meet tomorrow? Share that prayer with the group.

Pray for the needs of the group.

Pray for wider needs

**To prepare for next Group (please do this before people leave )**

Person to host the group (Welcome section, Witness section).....

Person to lead short time of Worship .....

Person to lead study (Word section) .....

People to be invited to next group & who to do that  
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**Informal conversation** etc.