



# Sermon Notes

**Topic:** “Just Walk Across the Room”

**Bible Passage:** Matthew 5: 13-16

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## Small Group Questions/Discussions

- **As Children of God, we are wonderfully blessed**

Share the most precious promises of God that fill you with hope and peace?

How would you navigate life without faith?

- **Appreciating this gift of life is important for two reasons**

1. *It fills us with hope in this dark world.*

2. *We want to share this hope with others.*

Do you sometimes feel overwhelmed by world events? How does this play out in your everyday life? How do you think your friends and neighbours cope, if they don't know Jesus yet? Do you sense the call of God to share your “good news”? What are some of the barriers you have to overcome?

- **If we want to share this good news with someone then we are going to**

1. Enter the zone of the unknown

2. Listen to the spirit's prompting

3. Just walk

What causes you the most anxiety when you think of introducing your friends and family to Jesus? What would happen to that anxiety if this calling becomes simply normal behaviour for you?

If we think we are in control of the outcomes we are taking too much responsibility. Why is the spirit's leading so important? How might that play out as you consider your fears. How will the spirit help you? Share together the person that the spirit seems to be laying on your heart? How is that going for you? What would happen, do you think if you committed your availability to God's spirit each day?

Sometimes we just have to overcome our fear, and “walk across the room” What might this look like for you? An invitation, an act of kindness, perhaps sharing a book. What would “fit” well for the way God has made you? When will you do it?

**How do you feel about these statements:**

We can be part of someone's spiritual healing

God does all the heavy lifting; we are just available to His leading

God certainly has someone for you to invest in