



# The Church: Experiencing our Mission

## Romans 10:13-15

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#### **I. The Need of the Sinner**

What does Romans 10:13 tell us is the message of the Gospel?

Put the message of Romans 10:13 into your own words.

What is the key thought in each of the following verses:  
John 3:16, John 14:6, Luke 5:32

What seems to be some of the evidences of sin as you consider life?

In order for us to accept the concept that we need to make a change, what do we need to accept about the way we are going?  
What is hard about this?

If you were talking to someone about Romans 10:13 and they asked you to explain to them what Jesus will save them from, what would you say?

Why is "calling on the name of the Lord" such an important part of salvation?

#### **II. Our Responsibility as a Follower of Jesus**

How does each one of the rhetorical questions start in Romans 10:14-15? What is the expected answer to each question?

What is the first question asked in Romans 10:14?

Sinful people do sinful things. Why do you think we often seem surprised or frustrated by this?

What is the second question asked in Romans 10:14?

How would you describe the difference between a “religion” in Jesus and a “relationship” with Jesus?

Why is it so significant that love is the basis of our relationship with Jesus?

What other kinds of commitment connections are often represented in life?

How does having a love relationship impact why we do what we do?

What is the third question given in Romans 10:14?

How do the people that we live with and around hear the words of Jesus in what we say and in what we do?

### **III. The Word of Life is Proclaimed**

In the third “how” question of Romans 10:14, what does the word “preaching” mean? How is this verse often narrowed to one group of people?

What perspective does 1Corinthians 9:16 give on our proclamation?

What is the “how” question asked in Romans 10:15?

To whom is this message directed? How do we traditionally view the application of this question?

Why do we respond to God by saying we are not interested in being sent?

How could we consider this verse as we think about our mission where we live and where we work?

Read Isaiah 52:7. Write down what God speaks to you about in this verse?

What is the point of the last phrase, the quote from Isaiah 52:7 as it relates to this passage from Romans 10?