

LISTENING

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My heart has heard you say, "Come and talk with me." And my heart responds, "Lord, I am coming." Psalm 27:8 NLT

God's call is for _____ and for

We listen to God's call in _____

Walking along the beach of Lake Galilee, Jesus saw two brothers: Simon (later called Peter) and Andrew. They were fishing, throwing their nets into the lake. It was their regular work. Jesus said to them, "Come with me. I'll make a new kind of fisherman out of you. I'll show you how to catch men and women instead of perch and bass." They didn't ask questions, but simply dropped their nets and followed. Matthew 4:18-20 Message

**The Church is _____
to God**

God's purpose in all this was to use the church to display his wisdom in its rich variety to all the unseen rulers and authorities in the heavenly places. This was his eternal plan, which he carried out through Christ Jesus our Lord. Because of Christ and our faith in him, we can now come boldly and confidently into God's presence. Ephesians 3:10-12 NLT

**As individuals, we _____
to listen to God**

The LORD came and stood there, calling as at the other times, "Samuel! Samuel!" Then Samuel said, "Speak, for your servant is listening." And the LORD said to Samuel: "See, I am about to do something in Israel that will make the ears of everyone who hears about it tingle. 1 Samuel 3:10,11 NIV

QUESTIONS FOR GROUPS //

- *Why is listening to God an important part of our faith?*
- *How do you hear God in your daily life?*
- *What have you been involved with these past couple years in life?*
- *Can you see God at work through these things? How so?*
- *What do you think God is desiring to do in your heart in this season?*
- *Pray for one another and take a moment of silence to just listen to God.*