

## HomeGroup Discussion Guide

October 5-11, 2008

### Key Idea of the Week:

We have the opportunity today to cross cultures and invest in people in other nations through Short-Term Missions. How might this change your life? Would you be willing to sacrifice your time and money to live cross-culturally for a season if God asked you to?

### Discussion Guide:

**Pray** for God to soften your hearts and speak to you as you open His Word together.

**Read** Luke 10:1-9.

### **Discuss**

What words, phrases or images jump out at you as you read this passage? Why?

What is the 'harvest' and why are the workers so few?

Why do you think Jesus didn't allow his followers to bring provisions for the journey (vs.3-4)?

Have you ever hesitated from going overseas or even next door to share your faith because you've felt ill-equipped? Tell about that.

Notice that in verse one, Jesus sends people ahead of Himself to the places where He is about to go. What should this mean for you?

Is anyone here willing to cross-cultures this year with a Short-Term missions team from our church? How can the group support them?

Pray for any needs that arose during the discussion and for courage to act on what you've learned this week. Remind people that Terry Myland is the contact person for this coming spring's Short-Term missions opportunity.