Sunday, May 5, 2024 Rob Craft, FBC Moultrie

"The Next Step"

Matthew 14:22-33

Today's BIG IDEA:

Even the smallest of next steps can require the biggest demonstrations of faith.

2 Reminders from Jesus

1. In _____ He _____ (v.22-23) (Mark 1:35, Luke 5:15-16)

• We all need to be willing to pursue times of solitude for the purpose of prayer.

2. In their ______ He _____ (v.24-26)

(Matthew 8:25-26)

• Sometimes, Jesus stands in the turmoil, in the face of our fears, to remind us that He is God and He is present.

3 Interactions with the Disciples

- 1. Jesus _____ (v. 27)
 - His presence should give us comfort.
- **2. Jesus** (v. 28-29)
- **3. Jesus** (v. 30-31)

The disciples _____ (v. 32-33)

APPLICATION QUESTIONS:

- 1. What are some things that might keep you from taking the next step (whatever that might be) in your walk with Jesus?
- 2. In your life, what are the waves and wind that get your attention and take your focus off of Jesus?
- 3. What's been a time in your life where you did take a next step in faith, and how did you see the Lord work in that?



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