**Central Baptist Church Sunday School**

**TOPICAL STUDY OF THE MONTH - January 2021**

**January 3—Called to Proclaim. Luke 4:14-22**

 People hear conflicting messages and proclamations all of the time. The worshippers at Nazareth listened to Jesus’ proclamation of justice and compassion and were amazed at his gracious words.

**January 10—Called to Follow. Luke 5:1-11**

 People seek significance and purpose. Jesus called Simon and his cohorts to follow him and find fulfillment in doing the work of God’s kingdom.

**January 17—Called in Authority Mark 2:1-12**

 The limitations of human existence make genuine wholeness an elusive goal. By declaring a paralyzed man’s sins forgiven and restoring his physical health, Jesus demonstrated that God had called Jesus to heal infirmities of the soul as well as the body.

**January 24—Called for the World’s Belief. John 17:14-24**

 People often look for ways to appeal for assistance on the behalf of others. Jesus’ prayer for his disciples serves as a call to use intercessory prayer for the sake of others.

**January 31—Prophesying Daughters. Luke 2:36-38; Acts 2:16-21; 21:8-9**

 All people have a very unique purpose in life. How do we affirm each individuals purpose? In today’s lesson the book of Luke and Acts recount how women responded to the call.