"Come With Me To A Quiet Place"

Mark 6:30-34

INTRODUCTION: The busy Pastor with a bad habit...

I. BUSY-NESS: THE DISEASE OF OUR TIME

- A. A "badge of honor" or a symptom of a problem?
- B. Let's look at the apostles in Mark 6
- C. Jesus invited them: *come with me to a quiet place*
- D. Once there He gave them rest compassion & teaching
- E. Could you use the same things today?

II. BUSY WITH SO MANY THINGS, BUT WHAT IS NECESSARY?

- A. What is that "one thing needed"?
- B. Let's look at sisters Mary & Martha (Luke 10)
- C. Mary sat at Jesus' feet (vv. 38-39)
- D. Martha was "too busy" (v. 40)
- E. What about you today?

III. WITH JESUS IN THAT 'QUIET PLACE', WE DISCOVER THAT ONE THING NEEDED

- A. It is the one thing Jesus gave to His apostles (Mark 6)
- B. It is the one thing Mary had that Martha missed (Luke 10)
- C. It is the one thing you cannot do without
- D. It is the only thing that can take you from the terrible 'busy-ness' of this short life to the timeless glory of eternity
- E. What is it? (Luke 10:42; Mark 6:34)

CONCLUSION: Blind hymn writer Fanny Crosby: holy blindness helps us see what is really important...

Listen to sermon for Section IV: According to Holy Scripture, there are four things God has given us for true rest.