

Becoming Disciples

In Matthew 4:19, Jesus says to some people He meets, “Come, follow me.” He expected those people to set aside what they were doing and go with Him to teach people about the love of God. However, Jesus probably didn’t just mean that people were supposed to walk with Him. Jesus may very well have meant that He wants people to follow what He did, imitating Him and His good works.

A disciple is someone who follows Jesus and learns from Him. A disciple also shares what they know with other people. A disciple shares Jesus’ love of everybody.

One thing that Jesus did often was make sure that people had enough to eat. The story of Feeding the 5000 (Matthew 14:13-21) tells of Jesus empowering His disciples to collect food donations and multiplying them so that many hungry people could be fed. The kids at Aley have put together a service project that puts this idea into action. They are asking members of their church to donate food items that can be put together into meal kits, which will then be donated to a local food bank. The small donations of individuals will result in feeding a LOT of hungry people in our community.

If you would like to participate in a service project like the one AleyKids are doing, below is an inspiration photo. Go- be a disciple!

