

## Lesson 6: Change Your World

### Icebreakers:

Have two people stand back to back (where they cannot see what the other person is doing). Tell them they are having a competition to see who can finish a task first. Give one person a package of bubble gum and the following written instructions: "Take a piece of bubble gum out of the pack. Chew the gum and blow a bubble." Don't give anything to the other person. Then announce, "Ready, Set, Go!" After the "competition," ask the person who did not have any instructions how it felt not knowing what they were supposed to do.



### Alternative

Ask members in your group to describe the last time they bought an instruction manual or watched a YouTube video in order to do a repair they had never done before. Which was easier to understand, reading the manual or watching someone do it on a video?

## Watch the Video

### Discussion Questions:

1. When was the last time you felt like you were "on the outside looking in?" How did it feel to be excluded? If you were later included, what did it feel like to be accepted?
2. Were you surprised by the percentage of people who claim no religious affiliation, even in a city like Springfield? Why do you think that is the case?
3. What is required, by Paul's definition, to be a "preacher?"
4. Ask those who are willing to tell their story to the group: your life before Christ; how you met Christ; your life since you met Christ. If there are those in your group who have not yet crossed the line of faith, ask them to listen to the stories of others in your group. Ask them, to share what about the stories of the believers in the group resonated most with them?
5. Why do you think Paul (quoting a passage from Isaiah 52:7) describes those who tell their story of faith as having "beautiful feet?"
6. What would it take to encourage you to tell your story? Who are three people you could tell? Begin praying that God would give you an opportunity to share your story with them.

Romans 10:15 (NIV84)

And how can they preach unless they are sent? As it is written, "How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news!"