

NARRATOR:

The Ninth Lesson: The followers of Jesus are commissioned to make disciples of all

Matthew closes his Gospel with the risen Christ commissioning the disciples:
“Go therefore and make disciples of all nations”

Christmas is not just about receiving Christ.
It’s also about presenting Him to the whole world.
We are each called to live Christmas every day by making Christ known through
our words, our actions, and our love.

And we are reminded that Jesus remains with us
to help us in accomplishing His work.

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A reading from end of the Gospel according to Matthew.

The eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain to which Jesus had ordered them.

When they saw him, they worshiped, but they doubted.

Then Jesus approached and said to them, “All power in heaven and on earth has been given to me.

Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, until the end of the age.”

“The Gospel of the Lord.”

Matthew 28:16-20

