

Sign of the Cross and Introduction

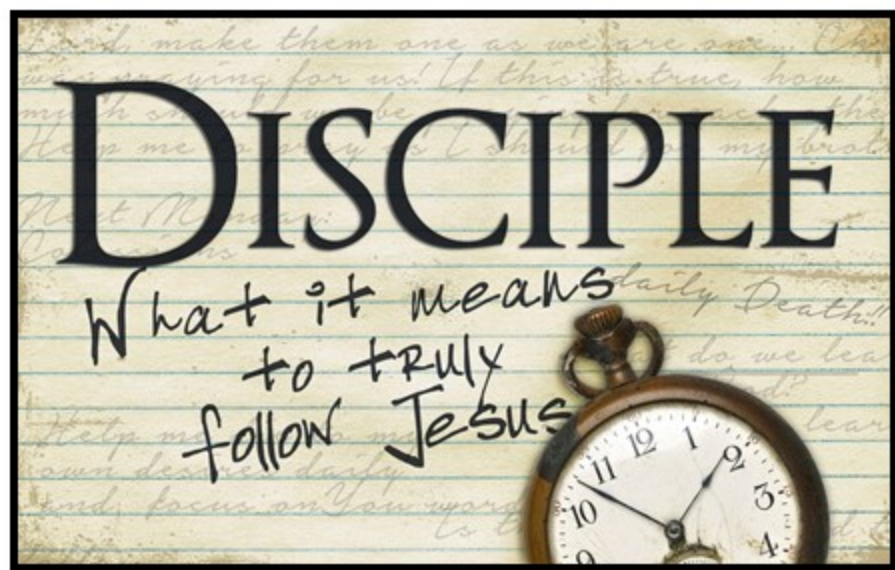
In today's reading, Jesus tells his followers that it won't be easy to spread the Word of God. Some will not believe and others will give up the faith when times get hard.

This is the cost of discipleship.

Today's reading

A reading from the Gospel of Luke
They'll arrest you, hunt you down, and drag you to court and jail. It will go from bad to worse, dog-eat-dog, everyone at your throat because you carry my name. You'll end up on the witness stand, called to testify. Make up your mind right now not to worry about it. I'll give you the words and wisdom that will reduce all your accusers to stammers and stutters.

*The Gospel of the Lord
Praise to You, Lord Jesus Christ*



Prayer
Hail Mary

Mission
Keep the faith
today, even
when times get
tough

