

My Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ:

In this Gospel reading we see the Savior calling His first apostles to full time service for His Mission. We can read about this and view it simply as a very important event in the history of the Church. But if that is all that we get out of this reading, we are denying ourselves vital spiritual information that the Gospel is meant to give us. Divine Scripture is God speaking to us and teaching us what we need to know for the benefit of our spiritual lives. Therefore, it is very important to not only read the Gospel on a surface level, but to always look deeper for the lessons that our Savior is offering. [\(continue\)](#)