

## **Summary**

Our journey of following Jesus Christ in nursing began by focusing on Jesus' invitation to come to him, learn from him, and receive rest (Matthew 11:28-30). Jesus cares for us as nurses!

Jesus also calls us to be his messengers (Luke 4:16-21 and Isaiah 61:1-2). We followed Jesus in his interaction with people facing different challenges, including death and grief. We learned about providing spiritual care in nursing from Jesus. In Matthew 12:1-21 and Isaiah 42:1-9 we considered ways that Jesus, and his followers, bring justice and hope to the nations.

This journey is only beginning. God's Word is filled with direction and encouragement as we follow Jesus in our profession. *Journal of Christian Nursing* provides biblically-based Christian perspectives to contemporary issues in nursing.

Jesus has also given us a Christian community to travel together in the journey. <u>Visit NCF online</u> to discover more about groups of students and nurses in your area, and resources to begin a group.

<u>NCF Membership</u> links us together to strengthen one another for influence in nursing. We also envision ways the NCF Bible studies and other resources can help to launch a mentorship network that will prepare the next generation of nurses to communicate the message of hope in Jesus Christ and increase God's influence in nursing and healthcare.

God is at work in our profession. We are part of the mission of Jesus Christ that will make a difference and bring glory to God!