Series: You Asked For It! <u>Title</u>: Spiritual Auto-Pilot <u>Text</u>: (Mark 9:14-29) (Matt 17:9-14)

(Vs 1-13) Peter, James. John were on a retreat,

### 1. The Defeated Apostles: (Mark 9:14-16)

<u>Casting Doubt</u>: They weren't doing anything. <u>Inflammatory Statements</u>: to Shame you into silence. (1 Pet 3:15-17)

### 2. The Distressed Father: (Vs 17-18)

Our Best Efforts cannot defeat the World, The Flesh, & The Devil! (Is 64:6)

# 3. The Disappointed Christ: (Mark 9:19)

# 4. The Demented Boy: (Mark 9:20-22)

The demon had seen him before, on the Thrown! (Mk 1:24) The Seizures caused a lack of Self Control & Coordination. (Matt 17:15) (James 4:6-10)\*7 *"Resist the devil"* 

### 5. <u>The Divine Promise</u>: (Mark 9:23-25)

What Moves the Hand of God? (Heb 11:6) We can help bridge the Gap with others also! (Matt 18:18-20) (2 Pet 3:9)

### 6. <u>The Devil's Power</u>: (Mark 9:26-29)

<u>The Devil is a Murderer</u>: (Jn 8:44)(Lk 9:42) Jesus said: B/c of Their Unbelief: (Vs 19) (Mark 6:6)(Matt 17:20)(Mark 9:23) 7. <u>The Discipline Required</u>: (Mark 9:29) <u>Prayer</u>: (1 Jn 3:22)(1 Jn 5:14-15)(Ps 37:1-9; \*4)

**Fasting:** (Ps 35:13)(Is 64:6)(Matt 17:20)