



**“The Ministry Multiplies”**

Acts 6:1-7

July 7, 2023

SERMON REVIEW

1. **A serious threat:** \_\_\_\_\_ (6:1).
2. **A strategic solution:** \_\_\_\_\_ (6:2-4).
1. **A glorious outcome:** \_\_\_\_\_ (6:5-7).

Was any point in this weekend’s message or portion of Scripture particularly challenging, encouraging or helpful for you?

Why did God want you to hear this message now?

## DIGGING DEEPER

1. In this passage, the Hellenists were complaining against the Hebrews over the distribution of food to widows. What issues do Christians tend to voice complaint about in our day and age? What are some of the things you've caught yourself complaining about?
2. Is it ever appropriate for Christians to murmur and complain? What do these passages say? Philippians 2:14-16; I Thessalonians 5:16-18; James 5:8-9.
3. Carefully reading the passage, what did Peter and the Apostles do to resolve the issues at hand? How do you think wide involvement in ministry with lots of people included might alleviate the temptation (or remove the occasion) to complain?
4. Read I Corinthians 12:4-7 and I Peter 4:10-11. Who has a spiritual gift? Does everyone have the same gift? Who provides the gifts? For what purpose?
5. Would you say that your gifts are more along the "speaking" or "serving" side of things? What areas of Christian service have you been involved with? What has brought you the most joy?