Palmetto Baptist Church – August 11, 2013
Stop Second-Guessing Yourself – Matthew 14:22-33

Inside the Text:

I. Model the Submission of Christ (22-23)

A. Yield to God's will. (22)

B. Spend time with God in prayer. (23)

II. Rejoice in the Intervention of Christ. (24-27)

A. He is your advocate. (John 17)

B. He is your deliverer. (24-27)

III. Accept the Invitation of Christ. (28-33)

A. He welcomes a faith that stirs. (28-30)

B. He desires a faith that sustains. (31-33)

Apply the Text:

- **Flee temptation by finding satisfaction in God.**
  - Say no to sin.
  - Spend time alone with God in prayer.
- **Believe that God will provide your needs.**
  - Jesus is interceding for you.
  - Jesus has your best interest in mind.
- **Ask God to increase your faith.**
  - Stir you to action.
  - Keep you during times off testing.