**Luke 6**

Sunday Bible Class 2024

**Jesus is Lord of the Sabbath + Luke 6:1-5**

Were the Pharisees right to question Jesus’ and His disciples? Why or why not?

What is Jesus implying with the example of David eating the Bread of the Presence? (Hint: It has to do with Jesus’ identity.)

**A Man with a Withered Hand + Luke 6:6-11**

How could Jesus know the thoughts of the scribes and Pharisees?

What’s the point of Jesus’ question in verse 9? Why does God command observance of the Sabbath (3rd Commandment)?

**The Twelve Apostles and Jesus’ Ministry to a Great Multitude + Luke 6:12-19**

Why did Jesus choose 12 disciples to become His “apostles?” What does “apostle” mean?

The Lutheran Study Bible states that “Jesus chooses 12 men as His apostles, an office specifically appointed by Jesus for the early years of the Church (TLSB, p.1720). Though we aren’t “apostles” like the 12, the word “apostle” applies to us in a slightly different sense. How does it apply to us?

**The Beatitudes and the Woes + Luke 6:20-26**

This passage looks a lot like Jesus’ first words in the Sermon on the Mount (Matthew 5:1-12). What does this passage include that isn’t included in Matthew 5:1-12?

What’s the “reward” Jesus speaks of in verse 23? Why might we be afraid to talk about rewards when it comes to the Christian faith?

There’s nothing inherently wrong with being rich and full, nor is there anything wrong with laughing and people speaking well of you. Why does Jesus warn us about these things? Why might they be a problem?

**Love You Enemies + Luke 6:27-36**

Jesus teaches us to love our enemies. What are we inclined to do instead of loving our enemies? Why does Jesus expect more of us than that?

Who is Jesus talking about when He uses the word “sinners” here (verses 32-34)?

Dr. Just writes, “the Sermon on the Plain is Christological, and everything Jesus asks of his disciples, he himself has first done on their behalf” (Luke 1:1-9:50, p.293). Where do we see Jesus in this part of the Sermon on the Plain?

**Judging Others + Luke 6:37-42**

“Judge not, and you will not be judged” can easily be misinterpreted. What does Jesus mean when He says, “judge not?” When is it appropriate to make judgments?

What’s the point of Jesus’ parable in verses 39-42? How does the parable apply to us?

**A Tree and Its Fruit + Luke 6:43-45**

What distinguishes a good free from a bad tree? If the word “tree” represents a person, what then is the “fruit?”

**Build Your House on the Rock + Luke 6:46-49**

What’s the foundation upon which we build our houses? What does the flood represent? Why does the first man’s house survive while the second man’s house doesn’t?