

The River Church
50/50 Bible Study Challenge - Week 46
Luke 5

Memory Verse: "But when Jesus perceived their thoughts, He answered and said to them, "Why are you reasoning in your hearts?"" Luke 5:22 NKJV

Verse 1-5

What is the significance of Jesus leaving the multitude in verse one to go to the fishermen?

What are the different purposes of the multitude in verse one and the fisherman?

What do these purposes and verse three teach about identity?

Did Jesus know of Simon's knowledge of fishing in Verse 5? If so why did he command him to set out to deep water in verse 4?

How does our own experience or knowledge interact with our obedience to Christ today?

Verses 6-11

Does the catch of fish in verse six come from Simon's ability or God's provision?

What is God providing for with this catch? What other purpose could this serve?

Does Peter Recognize Christ as Lord because of His command or because of His provision? (Is it the giver or the gift?)

Verse 12-16

What does this passage teach about Jesus' heart for Healing?

Why did Jesus heal the leper?

What is the significance of the leper's word choice in verse 12?

Jesus "put out His hand and touched him" Why is this important in regards to Jewish law?

Is our uncleanness (sin) any different than the leprosy?

Is this passage really about healing or is it about Jesus Authority?

Verse 17-26

What caused the paralysis in the man in verse 18?

What is the connection between forgiveness and healing Jesus teaches here?

What does the pharisee's questions teach us about the importance of the heart?

Can you trust the "reasoning of your heart"?

Verse 27-32

Does Levi balk or bring up his 'sinful' life as a tax collector when Jesus commands him to follow? What does this teach us about our own sins?

Jesus is clear in his purpose in this section, does verse 32 refer to the dinner banquet or Jesus overall ministry?

How can we apply this as the church today?

Verse 33-39

What comparison is being made regarding the various disciples in verse 33?

How are the pharisees defining righteousness?

How do we define righteousness?

Is fasting relevant today? How so?

