WHO IS THISMAN?

<u>Jesus is the Lord (Mark 2:23-3:6) - Who Is This Man? - February 27-28, 2021</u> STUDY NOTES || SPEAKING TIM HOWEY

What is the Sabbath?

- Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy. **Exodus 20:8 NKJV**
- Six days you shall labor and do all your work, **Exodus 20:9 NKJV**
- but the seventh day is the Sabbath of the LORD your God. In it you shall do no work: you, nor your son, nor your daughter, nor your male servant, nor your female servant, nor your cattle, nor your stranger who is within your gates. **Exodus 20:10 NJKV**
- For in six days the LORD made the heavens and the earth, the sea, and all that is in them, and rested the seventh day.

 Therefore the LORD blessed the Sabbath day and hallowed it. **Exodus 20:11**

Why don't Christians observe the Sabbath?

- So let no one judge you in food or in drink, or regarding a festival or a new moon or sabbaths, Colossians 2:16 NKJV
- which are a shadow of things to come, but the substance is of Christ. Colossians 2:17 NKJV

Jesus broke their Sabbath laws about food (Mark 2:23-28)

- Now it happened that He went through the grainfields on the Sabbath; and as they went His disciples began to pluck the heads of grain. Mark 2:23 NKJV
- And the Pharisees said to Him, "Look, why do they do what is not lawful on the Sabbath?"

 Mark 2:24 NKJV

- But He said to them, "Have you never read what David did when he was in need and hungry, he and those with him: Mark 2:25 NKJV
- how he went into the house of God *in the days* of Abiathar the high priest, and ate the showbread, which is not lawful to eat except for the priests, and also gave some to those who were with him?" Mark 2:26 NKJV
- And He said to them, "The Sabbath was made for man, and not man for the Sabbath. Mark 2:27 NKJV
- Therefore the Son of Man is also Lord of the Sabbath." Mark 2:28 NKJV

Jesus broke their Sabbath laws about healing (Mark 3:1-6)

- And He entered the synagogue again, and a man was there who had a withered hand. Mark 3:1 NKJV
- So they watched Him closely, whether He would heal him on the Sabbath, so that they might accuse Him.

 Mark 3:2 NKJV
- And He said to the man who had the withered hand, "Step forward." Mark 3:3 NKJV
- Then He said to them, "Is it lawful on the Sabbath to do good or to do evil, to save life or to kill?" But they kept silent.

 Mark 3:4 NKJV
- And when He had looked around at them with anger, being grieved by the hardness of their hearts, He said to the man, "Stretch out your hand." And he stretched it out, and his hand was restored as whole as the other.

 Mark 3:5 NKJV
- Then the Pharisees went out and immediately plotted with the Herodians against Him, how they might destroy Him.

 Mark 3:6 NKJV

Jesus is the Lord

- But why do you call Me 'Lord, Lord,' and not do the things which I say? Luke 6:46 NKJV

NURSERY

JESUS IS ALIVE



EXPLORING THE JOY OF EASTER

To toddlers, joyous celebrations come naturally. And in the midst of spring comes the excitement of Easter! Though toddlers may not understand the true reason for the Easter celebration, they're old enough to feel the love and joy of having a best friend named Jesus. During this series your toddler will understand that Easter joy comes because our best friend Jesus is alive!

Memory Verse: Jesus is Alive. Matthew 28:6 (adapted for toddlers)

Heart of the Lesson: Jesus Is Alive and With Us

Parent Engagement: Pretend to fly around the room like a butterfly and say the following rhyme: Butterfly, flyttery, flip, dip, and dive. Be happy, little butterfly—Jesus is alive!

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JESUS LOVES US



We are continuing to learn about the ministry of Jesus. Jesus loved and cared for the people He met. He showed us by taking care of nature and kids, feeding the 5,000, and healing many different people. We want our little ones to know that Jesus still loves and cares for us today!

Memory Verse: "I have loved you even as the Father has loved me. Remain in my love." John 15:9

Heart of the Lesson: Jesus is Powerful - Jesus stopped the storm - Mark 4:35-41

Parent Engagement: Create a stormy sensory bottle by filling it about ½ way with baby oil (cooking oil also works, but doesn't look as cool) and ½ way with water. Add some blue food coloring. Try to fill all the way to the top of the bottle so there is no air. Shake hard to create a storm in the bottle. Allow it to rest and calm. Discuss what it would have been like to be in a tiny boat in a scary storm.

ELEMENTARY

Who Is This Man?



How would you describe Jesus? Loving or condemning, kind or strict, friend or stranger? In the book of Mark, several groups of people describe Jesus and see Him in very different ways. Each week we will discover how Jesus is seen from a new perspective. We want our kids to be able to answer the question "Who is this man?"

Memory Verse: The disciples were absolutely terrified. "Who is this man?" they asked each other. "Even the wind and waves obey him!" Mark 4:41

Heart of the Lesson: Jesus is the son of man - Mark 6:1-6, Mark 3:21

Parent Engagement: We learned that Jesus' hometown and family had a hard time believing in Him! They thought He was crazy when he started performing miracles. We are called to always be growing in our relationship and knowledge of Jesus! One way to do that is by asking questions! What's a question that you have about Jesus? See if you can find the answer as a family!

SPECIAL NEEDS ADULTS

THE BIG 10



This series, we're studying the Ten Commandments and learning how each one helps us follow God!

Memory Verse: "If you love me, obey my commands." John 14:15

Heart of the Lesson: Don't be Jealous; Exodus 20:17, Genesis 37, Hebrews 13:5

Caregiver Engagement: Has anyone ever been jealous of you? Have you ever felt jealous of someone else? What happened to Joseph when his brothers got jealous? Next time you feel jealousy creeping in, what can you do differently? Re-read Hebrews 13:5 for a good reminder.

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The book of Mark describes how a lot of people had different views of who Jesus was. Each week we will discover how Jesus is seen from a new perspective, and see the way they answer the question: Who is this Man? Throughout the next several weeks, we will be challenging the 5th and 6th graders to reflect and discover: Who is Jesus to you? If Jesus really is who He says He is, God in human form, it changes everything.

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Heart of the Lesson: Jesus is the Son of Man - Mark 6:1-6

Parent Engagement: Jesus' hometown missed out on what He was doing because of their unbelief. Share about a time that you missed out on something big. What do we need to do so that we don't miss out on Jesus' work in our lives?