

Life Group Discussion Guide
Jesus is Lord of All! - Matthew 8:18-34

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General Questions:

1. If someone who was not here Sunday asked you, "What was the sermon about this week?" what would you tell them?
2. What is something the pastor said during his sermon that stood out to you and why?
3. Was there anything the pastor said during the sermon that you have questions about or would like to discuss?

Main Idea of the Text: Jesus declares and demonstrates His power to effect the outcome He desires. Jesus is Lord of all!

Sermon Notes:

1. Jesus is Lord of our calling as Christians.
2. Jesus is Lord of the world around us.
3. Jesus is Lord over Satan and his demons.

Discussion Questions:

1. Jesus' response to a disciple who is committed to following Him wherever He goes is found in verse 20. What point is Jesus making about the reality of following Him?
2. Share with the group a time that following Jesus led you out of your comfort zone?
3. Jesus' response to a disciple who told Jesus He would follow Him after he buried his father is found in verse 22. What point is Jesus making about answering His call to follow Him?
4. Share with the group a time that following Jesus led you to have to re-prioritize your time?
5. In verses 22-27, the disciples were following Jesus and encountered a terrible storm. Read Jesus' reply to them when they asked Jesus to save them in verse 26. What point is Jesus making to His disciples?
6. How does knowing that Jesus is Lord of the world you live help you to be obedient to His calling on your life?

7. With 1 word the demons left the 2 men they possessed. How does knowing that Jesus is Lord over Satan and his demons help you to be obedient to His calling on your life?
8. What ministry do you feel Jesus is calling you to now? What earthly obstacles stand in your way of following that calling? How has the devil tried to keep prevent you from following that calling? What steps can you take to follow that calling?