

**Following Jesus:
Knowing, Treasuring, and Making Him Known
Matthew 16:13-28**

1. To speak highly of Jesus is not enough.
2. Jesus is the one true Lord.
3. Jesus is the only Savior.
4. Jesus is the final Judge of all mankind.

Faith Sheet

Transformation verse – Jesus said..."Follow Me, and I will make you fishers of men."
Matthew 4:19

Main Themes

- ~ To speak highly of Jesus is not enough. (Matthew 12:30, John 3:36, 1 John 5:12)
- ~ Jesus is the Lord. (Philippians 2:5-11, Colossians 2:8-10, Romans 10:9-10)
- ~ Jesus is the only Savior. (Matthew 1:21, Acts 4:12)
- ~ Jesus is the coming righteous judge of all the earth. (Acts 17:30-31, 2 Timothy 4:8)

#1- Reviewing this Past Sunday Following Jesus: Knowing, Treasuring, and Making Him Known Matthew 16:13-28

1. Read Matthew 16:13-28. Discuss the message with someone.
2. What are some of the most common views of Jesus today?
3. What difference does it make to know who Jesus really is?
4. How does believing in Jesus as Lord, Savior, and righteous Judge affect your daily conversations and life?
5. What do you most appreciate about Him that would lead you to worship Him this day?
6. Pray for us to believe His promises and be fully surrendered to Him.

2- Preparing for Next Sunday Following Jesus: Being a Friend of Sinners

1. Read Luke 7:31-35.
2. What descriptions are given of Jesus and John the Baptist?
3. What characteristics make a good friend? What do you think made Jesus a good friend?
4. Read Proverbs 17:17, Job 6:14 to get started with a list of traits in a friend.
5. Who are the friends in your life not following Jesus that you could pray for right now?
6. Areas to pray: You would be faithful to your friend and faithful to God. You would have opportunities to share the hope you have in Christ. You would be bold and take those opportunities as they arise. God would produce the fruit of salvation in your relationships.

