

WHO IS JESUS? Just a Good Man or Lord of Our Lives?

REFLECTION QUESTIONS FOR PERSONAL PRAYER

1. According to the video, what are three things Jesus did during his public ministry that point to his being truly God?
2. Prayerfully imagine Jesus standing before you and asking you the question he asked his Apostles: "Who do you say that I am?" How would you answer him?
3. Jesus tells us to "seek first his kingdom and his righteousness" (Matthew 6:33). What do you seek first in your life? Do you truly put Jesus first in your life? Or do you seek other things to fulfill you, and have God as just a part of your life?
4. In Matthew 13:44 a man finds a treasure, buries it in a field, and sells all he has in order to buy the field. What treasure have you found as a follower of Jesus Christ?

Jesus finds a treasure in you and, for joy over you, He sells all – gives himself completely - for love of you. How can you respond to His great love for you?

COMMIT

Allowing Jesus to reign over our lives as Lord requires submitting our will to his. It means following his teachings, living the way he wants us to live, and trusting that he knows and desires what is best for us. Write down one or two areas in your life where the way you are living now could be more in line with Jesus' teachings.

What can you do this week to begin living more with Jesus as Lord of your life?

RESPOND TO THE PARISH by sharing a favorite name or title of Jesus. They will become a Word Cloud for all to see in the bulletin and bulk emails!

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FOLLOWING IS A SUMMARY OF THE MAIN POINTS PRESENTED IN THE VIDEO.

- God spoke to his people through the prophets during the Old Testament times, but in these last days he has spoken to us by his Son (Hebrews 1:1–2; CCC 65).
- In the fullness of time, the divine Son of God became incarnate, meaning that he took on human flesh. In doing so, he assumed human nature without losing his divine nature (CCC 479).
- Jesus Christ is not part God, part man. He is truly God and truly man, in the unity of his divine person (CCC 464).
- Because Jesus is both God and man, he is the one and only mediator between God and man (CCC 480).
- The Son of God became man in order to save us by reconciling us with God, so that we might know God's love, to be our model of holiness, and to make us partakers of the divine nature (CCC 457–460).
- Jesus Christ, the Son of God, is one divine person who possesses two natures. He has a divine nature and a human nature, which are united in the one divine person. This mystery of Christ is the profound union of the divine and human natures in the one person of the Son (CCC 483).