



Riverstone
BAPTIST CHURCH

Sermon Based Questions

Date- Sunday 25th July 2021
Series- King & his Kingdom Part 6

Let your light shine!

- *In fear and amazement they asked one another, "Who is this? He commands even the winds and the water, and they obey him." Luke 8:25*

1. Let your light shine by living by faith in the King who has all authority.

- a. Let your light shine. (Luke 8:16-18)
- b. My brothers & sisters are those that hear & obey. (Luke 8:19-21)
- c. Authority over the storm. (Luke 8:22-25)

A. Examining the texts.

1. Read Luke 8:16-18. What is Jesus saying here? How do you think Jesus is saying that the disciples are to let their light shine? What do you think he means when he says that there is nothing hidden that will not be revealed?
2. Read Luke 8:19-21. Who does Jesus say are his mother and brothers? How do you think he viewed his real mother and brothers? What do you think he is trying to say here?
3. Read Luke 8:22-25. What was the situation that the disciples face and what did they do about it? How does Jesus respond to their request and what happens as a result?
4. Read Psalm 106:8-9 and Psalm 89:8-9. What does these passages say about the Lord and how he saved his people from the water?

B. Meditation & application

5. How according to Jesus' teaching in vs 16-18 are the people of God to usher in the light?
6. Given who Jesus says are his mother and brothers- what do you think that he is saying to "would be disciples," how do we become and enact the family connection to Jesus? What might this look like specifically for you?
7. How does the way Jesus speak to the storm and its response speak to his authority and power? What does it say about him?
8. What is the "key lesson/s" from these three gospel bites?

A Prayer: Heavenly Father- we thank you for sending your Son Jesus. We thank you that he ushered in the Kingdom of God and he is making all things new. Help us to bring light into our world- he hearing and acknowledging Jesus as Lord and submitting to him. In Jesus Name- Amen.