



Riverstone
BAPTIST CHURCH

Sermon Based Questions

Date- Sunday 15th August 2021

Series- King & his Kingdom Lk 12:22-34

Do not worry- Seek the Kingdom!

32 "Do not be afraid, little flock, for your Father has been pleased to give you the kingdom. 33 Sell your possessions and give to the poor."

1. Do not worry- Seek the Kingdom

- Life is more than food & Clothes. Luke 12:22-34
- Consider the Ravens. Vs 24
- The futility of Worry. Vs 25
- Consider the wild flowers. Vs 25
- You of little Faith. Vs 28
- Watch were you set your heart Vs 29
- Seek the Kingdom & these things will come as well. Vs 31
- Do not be afraid little flock. Vs 33
- Sell your possessions & give to the poor. Vs 33
- Where your treasure is. Vs 34

A. Examining the texts.

1. Read Luke 12:13-21. How does this passage provide a context for Luke 12:22-34?
2. Read Luke 12:22-23. What is the command Jesus gives here and what reason does he give for the command?
3. Read Luke 12:25-26. What does Jesus reveal about worry here?
4. Read Luke 12:27-31. What does Jesus say about the Ravens and the flowers? What is the believer supposed to do instead of being anxious?
5. Read Luke 12:32-34. How does this passage reveal to the disciples seeking the kingdom might look like?

B. Meditation & application

6. What worries and anxieties do you have currently- how does Jesus' teaching here, speak to them?
7. How does this passage call us to faith in God as provider? How does Jesus speak to your present situation?
8. What would it look like for you to "seek the kingdom," right now as an act of first priority? What could you do to announce and demonstrate the kingdom of God to those around you?
9. Reflect- what does the shape of my affections (my heart and what I value) reveal to me about where my treasure lies? Spend time in confession & prayer and ask God to align your values so that you become- Rich toward God.

Dear heavenly Father- Sorry that my heart is often set on the here and now. On things and stuff rather than the rule and reign of God in his world. Help me to live a worry free, faith filled, big heartedly generous life that seeks God's kingdom above all else. May eternity loom large in my heart and may I trust you. In Jesus Name, Amen.