

THE GOSPEL OF LUKE

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DATE	LESSON	TITLE
August 2	1	Introduction to Luke; Preface, Birth of John Promised (1:1-25)
August 5	2	Annunciation to Mary, Mary's visit to Elizabeth, Birth of John the Baptist (1:25-80)
August 9	3	Birth of Jesus, Shepherd's visit, Presentation at Temple Flight into Egypt, Return To Nazareth, Jerusalem at 12, Growth (2:1-52)
August 12	4	Ministry of John, Genealogy, Visit to Nazareth (3:1-19, 23-38; 4:16-30)
August 16	5	Call of the Four, Healing a Centurion's Servant, Raising son of widow of Nain, Support of women, Final departure from Galilee (5:1-11; 7:1-17; 8:1-3; 9:51-56)
August 19	6	Mission of the Seventy, Good Samaritan, Martha & Mary (10:1-42)
August 23	7	Discourse on Prayer, Against the Pharisees, The Rich Fool (11:1-13, 27-32; 12:13-21)
August 26	8	Galileans slain by Pilate, Woman healed on Sabbath, Question whether few are saved, Reply to Herod, Discourse at Pharisee's table (13:1-14:14)
August 30	9	The Great Supper, Counting the Cost, Parables of Lost Things (14:15 – 15:32)
September 2	10	Parable of Unjust Steward, Law & Prophets, Divorce & Remarriage, Rich Man and Lazarus (16:1-31)
September 6	11	Concerning Forgiveness and Faith, The ten lepers, The coming of the Kingdom, Persistence in Prayer, The Pharisee and the Publican, Zacchaeus (17:1-21, 18:1-14, 19:1-10)
September 9	12	Parable of the Minas, Weeping over Jerusalem, The Lord's Supper, Trial before Herod, Women Lamenting, The Thieves, Women at the Burial (19:11-28, 19:41-44, 22:14-30, 23:4-16, 23:26-32, 23:39-43, 23:55-56)
September 13	13	The Resurrection, Two Men on Road to Emmaus, Appearances to disciples in Jerusalem, The Ascension (24:1-50)

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17:1-10 Concerning Forgiveness and Faith

1. “One of these little ones” probably refers to disciples who were still immature in faith. Who might be guilty of causing offenses that might cause one of them to stumble?
2. If a “brother” sins against me, what should I do?
3. Must I forgive the offender if he does not repent (verse 3)?
4. How many times should I forgive him? What kind of spirit does this suggest?
5. What did the apostles think would be required to do such a seemingly impossible thing?
6. What seemingly impossible thing did Jesus say could be accomplished with faith the size of a mustard seed? What did Matthew say could be accomplished in a parallel passage (Matt. 17:20)?
7. How does the illustration in verses 7-10 relate to this command to forgive seven times?

Note: Most Scholars suggest that at this time Jesus went to Bethany to raise Lazarus.

7:11-19 The ten lepers

1. What did all ten request?
2. What instructions did Jesus give? Why?
3. Why do you think it was noted that the thankful one was a Samaritan?
4. Was the Leper healed by faith or by works?

17:20-21 The coming of the Kingdom

1. What did the Pharisees ask?
2. What was His answer?

17:22-37 The Second Coming *Some of the language of the following verses is similar to that of Matt. 24 referring to the destruction of Jerusalem, but here it appears to be the second coming.*

1. How visible will the Second Coming be?
2. To what two events is it likened (verses 26-30)
3. Comparing verses 31 and 34, what time of day will the Second Coming occur?

18:1-8 Persistence in Prayer

1. According to verse 1, what is the point of the following parable?
2. What kind of adversary might have been troubling the widow?
3. What qualities did the Judge lack that would otherwise have made him disposed to help her?
4. Why did he help her?
5. How is God different from this judge?
6. How will God be like the judge?

Will it necessarily be immediately?

According to latter part of verse 8, what is the danger (Consider 2 Peter 3:3-4)?

18:9-14 The Pharisee and the Publican

1. According to verse 9, to whom was this parable spoken?
2. What was wrong with the Pharisee's prayer?
3. What was right with the publican's prayer?

18:31-34 The Final Approach to Jerusalem Did the apostles comprehend what was to happen?

19:1-10 Zacchaeus *They have crossed the Jordan on the way to Jerusalem. Jericho is the border city, 7 miles beyond the Jordan and approximately 17 from Jerusalem. Unlike previous approaches to Jerusalem, Jesus is accompanied by a large crowd of admirers from Galilee.*

1. Describe Zacchaeus.
2. What about the words of Jesus in verse 5 must have surprised Zacchaeus?
3. What effect did the visit of Jesus have on Zacchaeus and his house?
4. What was the mission of Jesus?