

I Am Jesus: The Childlike Disciple Matthew 17:22-18:10

For info on how to fast, see mynewhope.ca/blog/how-to-fast

For parallel texts to this study, see Mk. 9:30-48 & Lk. 9:43-50

"Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations..." – Mt. 28:19

Real disciples seek _____.

The Temple tax is given as Law in Ex. 30:11-13

"...your Father knows the things you have need of before you ask Him." – Mt. 6:8

"For he who is least among you all will be great." – Lk. 9:48

V.4: Disciples views themselves as the _____
of all.

"...If anyone desires to be first, he shall be last of all and servant of all." – Mk. 9:35

"And whoever of you desires to be first shall be slave of all. For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give His life a ransom for many." – Mk. 10:44-45

And let us not grow weary while doing good, for in due season we shall reap if we do not lose heart. Therefore, as we have opportunity, let us do good to all, especially to those who are of the household of faith. – Gal. 6:9-10

Disciples prioritize the needs of the _____
(the people) over the needs of _____.

Characteristics of a Childlike Faith:

- A genuine and sincere _____
- _____
- A sensitivity to sin
- A _____ expressed love for the Father
- A desire for the Father's approval
- A confidence in the _____ relationship

Lord, my heart is not haughty, nor my eyes lofty. Neither do I concern myself with great matters, nor with things too profound for me. Surely I have calmed and quieted my soul, like a weaned child with his mother; like a weaned child is my soul within me.
– Ps. 131:1-2

"But those things which proceed out of the mouth come from the heart, and they defile a man. For out of the heart proceed evil thoughts, murders, adulteries, fornications, thefts, false witness, blasphemies. These are the things which defile a man, but to eat with unwashed hands does not defile a man." – Mt. 15:18-20

Disciples deal ruthlessly with their _____.

"And why do you look at the speck in your brother's eye, but do not consider the plank in your own eye? Or how can you say to your brother, 'Let me remove the speck from your eye'; and look, a plank is in your own eye? Hypocrite! First remove the plank from your own eye, and then you will see clearly to remove the speck from your brother's eye." – Mt. 7:3-5

Disciples do whatever it takes to free themselves
from the grip of _____ on their life.