



Small Group Questions

5/10/15

1. Read Mark 5:1-20
2. Why has Mark repeatedly spoken of Jesus' confrontation with Satan? What is the purpose of these stories?
3. What is Satan's purpose in possessing mankind? (destroy the image of God)
4. What does the Bible tell us about this man?
5. How did the demon know Jesus' name and position?
6. What was the demons request? Why does the demon invoke **God's** protection?
7. Why did Jesus grant it?
 - The ultimate time of vanquishment had not yet come.
 - To illustrate the ultimate intent of the demons - destruction.
8. What was the new condition of the man?
 - What is the significance of these details?
9. Why did the people ask Jesus to leave?
10. Why did Jesus comply?
11. List what the healed man did in response to Jesus' instructions.
12. What is the application to us?