

Just Jesus: Part 2 Small Group Questions September 29, 2019

LOOK BACK

Take some time to share everyone high points and low point from the past week.

LOOK UP

Read Matthew 3:13-4:11

Why was Jesus baptized by John according to the text?

Would it have been easy for any onlooker to think that Jesus was just another sinner coming for baptism? It seems Jesus was content to be misunderstood on this point. How does this come into play with his desire to be identified with sinful man?

In Christian baptism there is a sense in which we are demonstrating a breaking away from the former life. How could this be applied to Jesus?

What was the significance of the presence of the Father and the Holy Spirit at Jesus' baptism?

Who was present at yours?

The first of Jesus' temptations was an appeal to the lust of the flesh. How so?

How did Jesus gain the victory? Was Jesus ever tempted in this was again?

The second of Jesus' temptations was an appeal to the pride of life. How so?

How did Jesus gain the victory? Was Jesus ever tempted in this was again?

The third of Jesus' temptations was an appeal to the pride of life. How so?

How did Jesus gain the victory? Was Jesus ever tempted in this was again?

What do we learn from Jesus' identification with sinners and the temptations he endured?

LOOK FORWARD

How does the message of Matthew 3:13-4:11 change the way you see this coming week?

Take some time to share prayer requests and time praying as a group.