

Questions for Reflection:

1. Is there any person or group of people in my life for whom I am harboring bitterness or unforgiveness?
2. Is there any person from whom I need to seek forgiveness?
3. What practical steps will I take to love, pray for, and do good to my enemies

Questions for Reflection and Discussion:

1. What stood out to you about the sermon?
2. What did you like? What made you uncomfortable?

Read Luke 6:27-45

3. When people ask you how you're doing spiritually, how would you typically respond? What are the ways you have defined the fruit of following Jesus?
4. How does this teaching change how you will respond in the future?

Coming Up:

Feb 7-13: Luke 8:1-15

Feb 14-20: Luke 8:40-56

Feb 21-27: Luke 9:18-26

Feb 28-Mar 6: Luke 10:25-37

Mar 7-13: Luke 11:37-54



THE GOOD NEWS ACCORDING TO LUKE

Good Fruit

How do we identify a true follower of Jesus?

- Bible _____
- Religious _____
- Right _____
- Acts of _____
- Spiritual _____

The primary measure according to the Bible is our ability to _____.

- Matthew 22:34-40
- Galatians 5:14, 16
- 1 Corinthians 13
- 1 John 4:8

Scripture: Luke 6:27-45

What does love look like?

Love your _____, do good to those who _____ you... (vs 27)

“Normal” in Jesus’ Day:

1. They judged people by the _____ they were a part of.
2. They were _____ about who they formed a friendship with.
3. People would tend to form relationships with those who could _____ them socially or financially

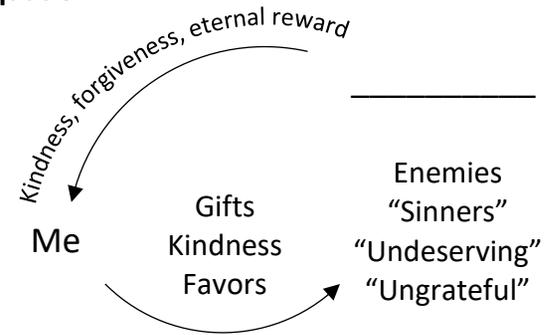
“But to you who are listening...”

- Do _____ to those who hate you.
- _____ those who curse you.
- _____ for (not against) those who persecute you.

The “Normal” Equation



Jesus’ Equation:



The fruit of following Jesus:

How well do I _____ people who don’t appreciate it and don’t deserve it?

Making the Shift: (vs 37-42)

We must change our _____ on _____.

What does it mean to judge?

To consider any person irredeemable or _____ of our (or God’s) love or generosity.

Why can’t we judge?

1. We can’t see _____ someone else’s _____.
2. Our own _____ blinds us. (vs 41-42)

What does it take to love like Jesus? (vs 43-45)

A change of _____.