



Bible study for the week starting February 28, 2021
Luke: “Built on the Rock”

SHARE

1. This week’s passages from Luke were the contents of the “Sermon on the Plain.” If you were Jesus (you’re not), and you were preaching to people who identify as your disciples, what message would you give them (tell it like it is – pull no punches).

READ/STUDY/DISCUSS

2. Read James 4:4b-10. James draws a clear line between friendship with God and friendship with the world. How does this fit with the “blessings and woes” in Luke 6:20-26?
3. Read Hebrews 10:5-18. The best “sacrifice” we can give to God is a repentant heart and trust in Jesus, who is the once-for-all sacrifice for our sins. How does this enhance the teachings of Jesus, including the “Sermon on the Plain,” in knowing Jesus is this sacrifice for us?
4. Read Luke 6:17-49. Jesus speaks of a different reward for His people of faith; what is it? How does that certain reward also change the way we live?

PRAY FOR AND WITH ONE ANOTHER

5. Love your enemies...pray for those who abuse you. Yikes!

HOMEWORK

If you didn’t do it on Sunday, spend some time on your “stand.” Based on Scripture – Luke 6 or otherwise – who do “you and your house” hold yourself (or -selves) out to be for others? If you’re unclear on this, reference back to your message notes or the message at sjlchurch.org/live.



Built on the Rock

Luke 6:37-49

February 28, 2021 – Pastor Eric Van Scharrel

God has ETERNAL blessings in store for faithful, faith-filled disciples and WOES for those who live with either no or hollow faith.

Jesus can spot HYPOCRISY and INTEGRITY issues from a mile away.

Jesus didn't waste His time preaching against UNBELIEVERS who act like UNBELIEVERS; most of His criticisms are aimed at people who identify as GOD'S PEOPLE.

God's goal is that we would accurately represent who we are called to be and that for which they are called to STAND.

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