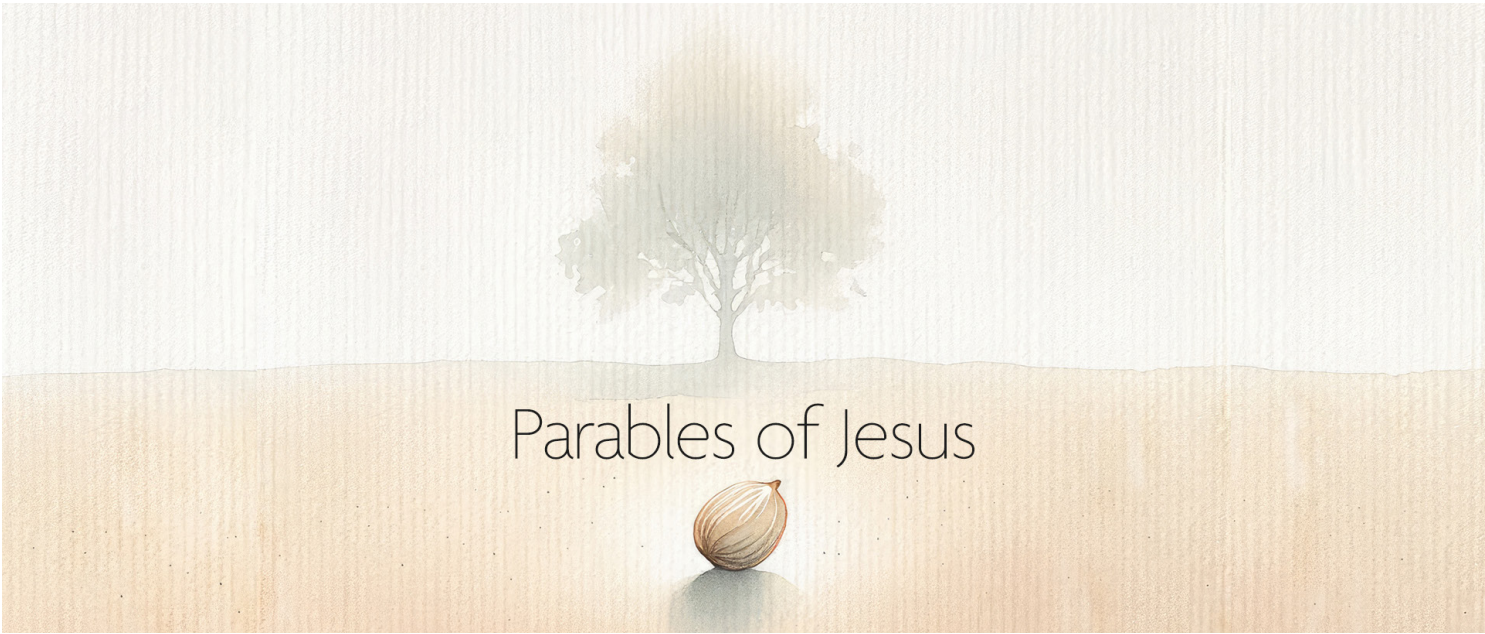




Parables of Jesus

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READ

Read Luke 10:25-37 and consider what lessons the Holy Spirit intends us to learn.

EXAMINE

- Why is it significant that the Jews and Samaritans were essentially enemies?
- Explain the setting that precedes the parable (vv.25-29). How does the parable fit within the context of the lawyer's initial question and self-righteousness?
- Based on Jesus' parable, who was the lawyer's neighbor?
- How does one's relationship with God relate to his relationship with others?
- What does this passage teach about receiving eternal life? Is eternal life something received by "being a Good Samaritan"? Why or why not?

APPLY

- If the gospel establishes a love that crosses the Jew-Samaritan boundary, what are some modern examples of boundaries that must be broken in the name of Christian love?
- Has someone ever acted like the Samaritan toward you? How has this experience shaped you?
- According to Jesus, who is your neighbor?
- How can you ensure that you both see and act on "Good Samaritan" opportunities in your life?
- The Samaritan's mercy toward the man involved much generosity. What are some applications we could draw about the importance of generosity as disciples of Jesus?

PRAY

- Take time to praise God for who He is, confess sins, and/or make requests based on this passage.

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