

## NEW TESTAMENT SURVEY

### Lesson 7 – Parables and More

#### Reading:

- Luke 7:1-50; Matt. 11:2-30
- Matt. 12:22-13:53
- Luke 8:1-21; Mark 3:20-4:34
- Luke 9:57-62; Matt. 8:18-34; 9:18-34; Mark 4:35-5:43; Luke 8:22-56
- Matt. 13:54-58; Mark 6:1-6

A. Briefly summarize the events from the reading above. Do you have any questions about the reading you would like us to discuss?

B. Describe the faith of the Gentile centurion. How can we have that same degree of faith?

C. What praise did Jesus give John the Baptist? Then why would he question who Jesus was per Luke 7:18-23? Hint: check some commentaries for possibilities.

D. Explain the actions of the Pharisee and the woman of Luke 7:36-50. What lesson did Jesus teach as a result and how does it apply to us today?

E. Explain Matt. 11:28-30.

F. What accusation from this lesson's reading indicates a hardening attitude toward Jesus and His miracles?

G. Explain Matt. 12:31-32.

H. Pick three of Jesus' parables from the reading above and explain them.

I. Catholics claim Mary remained a perpetual virgin after she had Jesus. How would you respond?