

**The Lordship of Jesus**  
**Following Jesus – Part 8**  
Life Church St. Louis – April 10, 2022  
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*Romans 10:9 (ESV) if you confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved.*

*Matthew 7:21 (ESV) “Not everyone who says to me, ‘Lord, Lord,’ will enter the kingdom of heaven, but the one who does the will of my Father who is in heaven.*

*2 Timothy 3:12 (ESV) Indeed, all who desire to live a godly life in Christ Jesus will be persecuted,*

*Matthew 5:11-12 (ESV) “Blessed are you when others revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for so they persecuted the prophets who were before you.*

## 1. Follow the \_\_\_\_\_ Jesus

*Luke 6:1-2 (ESV) On a Sabbath, while he was going through the grainfields, his disciples plucked and ate some heads of grain, rubbing them in their hands. But some of the Pharisees said, “Why are you doing what is not lawful to do on the Sabbath?”*

*Luke 6:3-4 (ESV) And Jesus answered them, “Have you not read what David did when he was hungry, he and those who were with him: how he entered the house of God and took and ate the bread of the Presence, which is not lawful for any but the priests to eat, and also gave it to those with him?”*

*Luke 6:5 (ESV) And he said to them, “The Son of Man is lord of the Sabbath.”*

## 2. Do good by healing the sick

*Luke 6:6-7 (ESV) On another Sabbath, he entered the synagogue and was teaching, and a man was there whose right hand was withered. And the scribes and the Pharisees watched him, to see whether he would heal on the Sabbath, so that they might find a reason to accuse him.*

*Luke 6:8-9 (ESV) But he knew their thoughts, and he said to the man with the withered hand, “Come and stand here.” And he rose and stood there. And Jesus said to them, “I ask you, is it lawful on the Sabbath to do good or to do harm, to save life or to destroy it?”*

*Luke 6:10-11 (ESV) And after looking around at them all he said to him, “Stretch out your hand.” And he did so, and his hand was restored. But they were filled with fury and discussed with one another what they might do to Jesus.*

## 3. \_\_\_\_\_ about every decision

*Luke 6:12-13 (ESV) In these days he went out to the mountain to pray, and all night he continued in prayer to God. And when day came, he called his disciples and chose from them twelve, whom he named apostles:*

*Luke 6:14-15 (ESV) Simon, whom he named Peter, and Andrew his brother, and James and John, and Philip, and Bartholomew, and Matthew, and Thomas, and James the son of Alphaeus, and Simon who was called the Zealot,*

*Luke 6:16 (ESV) and Judas the son of James, and Judas Iscariot, who became a traitor.*

## Weekly Healing Scripture

*Acts 3:6-7 (ESV) But Peter said, “I have no silver and gold, but what I do have I give to you. In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, rise up and walk!” And he took him by the right hand and raised him up, and immediately his feet and ankles were made strong.*

**The Lordship of Jesus Study Guide**  
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Intro. What does it mean to “confess that Jesus is Lord” (Romans 10:9)?

What needs to follow a verbal confession that Jesus is Lord (Matthew 7:21)?

Why should you expect persecution if you are a follower of Jesus (2 Timothy 3:12)?

How should we face persecution and attacks for our faith (Matthew 5:11-12)?

1A. Why do you think the Pharisees were so intent on catching Jesus doing something they considered wrong (Luke 6:1-2)?

1B. What point was Jesus making by telling the story about David and the bread (Luke 6:3-4)?

1C. How would you explain what Jesus meant in calling Himself the Lord of the Sabbath (Luke 6:5)?

1D. Why must we be careful to not make rules and regulations that go beyond the teaching of the Bible?

2A. Do you think that Jesus desired to confront the Pharisees about their rules (Luke 6:6-7)? Why or why not?

2B. What was Jesus saying about the purpose of the Sabbath in Luke 6:8-9?

2C. Why were the Pharisees so angry at Jesus healing the disabled man (Luke 6:10-11)?

2D. How can you overcome any fear of speaking out about God's truth to the people around you?

3A. What can we learn from Jesus' example of praying all night before choosing the apostles (Luke 6:12-13)?

3B. Why do you think that Jesus chose two pairs of brothers as His apostles (Luke 6:14-15)?

3C. What is the significance of the phrase that Judas Iscariot was said to “become a traitor” (Luke 6:16)?

3D. How can you grow in seeking God's wisdom through prayer for every decision?