

# SEEING JESUS

THROUGH THE  
EYES OF LUKE

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## GO THROUGH THE ROOF

LUKE 4-5

SIN = REBELLING AGAINST GOD AND GOD'S WAYS

### ROMANS 8:7-8

*"Darkness cannot drive out darkness: only light can do that. Hate cannot drive out hate: only love can do that."*

*Martin Luther King Jr.*

SIN IS LIKE \_\_\_\_\_.

### PROVERBS 13:5

JESUS KNEW WHAT IT FELT LIKE TO BE \_\_\_\_\_ TO SIN.

### LUKE 4:4

### LUKE 4:8

### LUKE 4:12

WHEN TEMPTED BY THE ENEMY, USE \_\_\_\_\_ TO SAY, NOT  
\_\_\_\_\_, SATAN!

## LIFE GROUPS - STARTING THIS WEEK

WOMENS BIBLE STUDY & SMALL GROUPS - [PURPOSECHURCH.COM/WOMEN](http://PURPOSECHURCH.COM/WOMEN)

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JESUS BEGINS PUBLIC MINISTRY SHOWING US THAT EVEN IN  
THE \_\_\_\_\_ OF FLESH HE WILL ALWAYS LEAD WITH THE  
\_\_\_\_\_ OF THE SPIRIT.

**LUKE 4:14**

**LUKE 4:18-19**

WE NEED FIERCE AND FAITH-FILLED \_\_\_\_\_.

**LUKE 5:23**

**LUKE 5:24**

**LUKE 5:25**

THAT MAT USED TO \_\_\_\_\_ YOU AND NOW YOU GO \_\_\_\_\_ IT.

**LUKE 5:26**

WALK IN THE \_\_\_\_\_ OF JESUS EVERY DAY FORWARD.

**Fill in the blanks:** stinky sewage, tempted, scripture, today, weakness, strength, friends, carry, carry, strength

*This Study Guide will help you go deeper throughout the week with daily scripture reading and questions for your own personal reflection and application. It is also designed to be used for discussion with your family, friends and Life Group.*

## OPEN UP

What is the best thing that happened to you in this past week?

### DAY 1: READ LUKE 4:1-13

In each temptation, what was its appeal? Its price? How does Jesus resist them? How does Satan's use of scripture differ from the way Jesus uses it?

Why do you think these temptations were directed at Jesus directly after he was affirmed by God at his baptism?

If the devil had three shots at you, what three temptations would he use? What can help you resist? What encouragement does this story provide?

### DAY 2: READ LUKE 4:14-30

What are the five points of Jesus' mission according to verses 18-19?

What does Jesus say that turns the people's amazement (v. 22) into anger (v. 28)?

Who are the "Gentiles" God desires you to care for? How might you do so?

### DAY 3: READ LUKE 4:31-44

What strikes you most about the behavior of the evil spirit?

Why does Jesus find it necessary to retreat at this time (vv. 42-44)? What pressure is he facing? What are his priorities?

Jesus is obviously busy, yet he takes time to be alone. How are you making space for time alone for God to speak to you amidst all the shouting of the urgent needs of those around you?

## DAY 4: READ LUKE 5:1-26

How does the miracle depicted in vv. 4-7 affect Peter? What is he beginning to grasp about Jesus? About sin? About belief in himself?

When was the first time, if ever, that you responded to Jesus like Peter did in verse 8?

When have you felt shunned, like a leper? How did Jesus “touch” you then?

The paralyzed man came for healing, so why does Jesus raise the issue of forgiveness (v 20)? What new realm of Jesus’ authority is demonstrated here?

## DAY 5: READ LUKE 5:27-39

Tax collectors lined their pockets with money they collected. How might the disciples feel about Jesus’ choice?

What is the new cloth? Old garment? New wine? Old wine-skins?

In this story, what do you have to do to qualify as a disciple?

## APPLICATION

Both Simon Peter and Levi leave everything they have behind them in order to follow Jesus. What did you find most difficult to leave when you became a follower of Jesus? In what ways do you still struggle to fully leave your old life behind? How can you commit anew to abandoning things that hinder you in your walk with Jesus?

## CHALLENGE

When Jesus was tempted in the wilderness, his own knowledge of scripture allowed him to avoid being tricked by Satan’s sneaky and incorrect usage of scripture. This week, choose a verse or section of scripture from the first 5 chapters of Luke, to memorize. If you don’t have a system to memorize scripture, we suggest using something like *The Bible Memory app* to help or writing the scripture out, or saying it aloud, until you know it by heart.