

Sunday, February 25, 2024
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“A Priority Problem”

Matthew 12:43-50

Today's BIG IDEA:

Our desire should be to do what Jesus wants, not for him to do what we want.

1. Jesus wants priority in our _____ (v.43-45)

- *If your heart has been possessed by Jesus, it can't be possessed by anything else.*
- *An empty heart is a vulnerable heart.*

2. Jesus wants priority in our _____ (v.46-50) *(Mark 3:20-21; John 12:27b-28a; Luke 2:49)*

- *When the priorities of Jesus' heavenly Father and his earthly family diverged, Jesus chose the Father every time.*
- *The priority of every family should be to build the kingdom of Christ.*

APPLICATION QUESTIONS:

1. What keeps us from filling our hearts with Christ? What are some practical ways for us to make sure we stay filled with Jesus?
2. What is the priority of your family? What are the things that you spend the most time, energy, and resources on? Where does Jesus fit into the picture?
3. How can we ensure that our priorities remain in the right order? What needs to happen when they get out of order?