

Sermon Outline: “Clean And Unclean – What Does It Mean”?

Matthew 15:1-20

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Clean and dirty

Ritual washing of hands

Commandments, traditions, and Isaiah

Offended

False teachers

Three Questions:

What makes one unclean?

How do you determine if you are clean or unclean?

How do you become clean?

To ponder over a cuppa with a friend:

What did clean and unclean signify in Judaism and Christianity?

What danger is there in traditions?

How can we be clean in God’s sight?

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1. What did clean and unclean signify in Judaism and Christianity?
2. What is a tradition as mentioned in verse 2?
3. What danger is there in a tradition?
4. How did Jesus respond to the Pharisee’s question?
5. What had the Pharisees done with God’s Word and their traditions?
What illustration did Jesus give to reveal the real problem?
6. How would present day churches or Christians do the same thing?
7. In what ways can we dishonour our parents?
8. What does Jesus call the Pharisees? Why?
9. Why were the Pharisees offended?
10. How did Jesus reassure His disciples regarding the Pharisees actions? (vv. 13-14)
11. What is the source of our unclean-ness?
12. How can we be clean? See I John 1:9.