

Sermon Outline: “Who Do You Say Jesus Is?”

Matthew 16:13-20

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Two Questions:

Who do people say the Son of Man is?

Who do you say I am?

The gift

The rock

The keys

To ponder over a cuppa with a friend:

Why do you think Jesus took His followers to Caesarea Philippi?

What is the rock?

Who do you say Jesus is?

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1. What do we know of Caesarea Philippi?
2. Why do you think Jesus took His followers to that region?
3. What do we know of the phrase “Son of Man”?
4. Who did the people say the “Son of Man” is?
5. What similarities and dis-similarities are there between Jesus and the individuals the people suggested?
6. Who did the disciples say Jesus is?
7. What is the meaning of “the Christ”?
8. Is there any significance in referring to God as “the living God”?
9. Peter’s profession of faith is a gift from God. Yes or No? Does such a gift help explain the various responses people have to God?
10. What is the “rock” upon which the church will be built?
11. What are the keys of the kingdom of heaven? Who holds such keys? What do the keys do?
12. Why does Jesus warn His followers not to tell anyone He is the Christ?