

## SYNTHESIZING THE TEACHINGS OF JESUS

	Who Am I?	Why Am I Here?	How Will I Survive?	How Can I Belong?	What About My Struggles?
	Identity	Purpose	Security	Community	Freedom/Peace
Our summary from Sept. 30	<p>-Relationship to others: servant, openness, hospitality</p> <p>-Relationship with Christ: Identity in Christ, Love of God, Fear of God, Pray</p> <p>-Relationship with Future: Believe, Be Alert, Don't mislead</p> <p>-Be Content: Childlike</p>	<p>-External/ "Follow Me"</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Concern for Neighbor</li> <li>• Justice</li> <li>• Shine/Sow</li> <li>• The "Way"</li> </ul> <p>-Internal</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Kingdom focus: paradox</li> <li>• Communion with God</li> </ul>	<p>Love Enemies</p> <p>Follow Jesus: Seek Kingdom first</p> <p>Faith- Look to God for contentment</p> <p>"Don't Fear"</p>	<p>Wise Speech- (ex: speak the truth)</p> <p>Propagate peace (ex: be reconciled to others, other before self)</p> <p>Deal Righteously/ Ethically</p> <p>Gracious Generosity (ex: Last being first)</p> <p>Forgiveness</p>	<p>Intimacy with Jesus- Aware and responding to His pursuit</p> <p>Ask for help</p> <p>Confession: to God and other</p> <p>Obey Jesus words</p> <p>Forgiveness</p> <p>Don't serve money</p>
SanFran	<p>Have Confidence in God's Care</p> <p>Ask with Expectation</p> <p>Pray discreetly</p> <p>Pray according to the pattern "our father..."</p>	<p>Make the realization of God's purposes your highest priority</p> <p>Seek humility</p> <p>Be a servant</p> <p>Welcome the poor and lonely and act for their benefit</p> <p>Welcome children and choose with the good of future generations in mind.</p>	<p>Do not be greedy or hoard wealth and possessions</p> <p>Choose God's kingdom over wealth</p> <p>Do not worry about your physical needs</p> <p>Do not be afraid</p> <p>Be generous and give to the poor discretely</p> <p>Pay your taxes and don't rely on</p>	<p>Overcome anger</p> <p>Seek reconciliation with those you've wronged</p> <p>Take marriage vows very seriously</p> <p>Keep your promises</p> <p>Love one another, including your enemies</p> <p>Forgive those who wrong you</p>	<p>Repent</p> <p>Deal seriously with your sins</p> <p>Exercise discipline and abstinence discreetly</p> <p>Be discerning about who you identify with and avoid hypocrisy</p> <p>Deny yourself and die to self-preservation</p> <p>Be watchful, aware</p>

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		Practice and teach “the way” to others  Pray that more liberators will be sent out	Government solutions	Do not judge  Be discerning about who you trust  Do to others as you would have them do to you  Address offenses relationally  Live in solidarity with like-minded people	and prepared  Hear the teaching and put it into practice  Understand that the way is about character—not religious asceticism  Listen carefully and consider what you hear  Embrace persecution and misunderstanding  Choose the lonely way to life
<b>Relationship to:</b>	self	world	money	community	sin
<b>Lord’s Prayer</b>	Pray like this: Our Father who Art in Heaven, Hallowed be Thy name	Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven	Give us this day our daily bread	Forgive us our sins while we forgive those who sin against us	Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil.