

Matthew 12:15-32

Getting Started:

- What is one of your favorite Bible passages?
- What does the image of God's Word as a lamp teach you about the place the Bible is to have in your life? Ps 117:97-105

Matthew 12:15-21 -- Prophecy concerning Jesus

- It is interesting to notice how the trinity is called out in this prophecy. What does this passage tell us about the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit and their roles?
- How has Matthew shown us Jesus fulfilling this prophecy?

Matthew 12:22-32 -- Blasphemy against the Holy Spirit

- What is Jesus illustrating when he describes binding a strong man before robbing him?
- Why do you think Jesus says that speaking against him will be forgiven but speaking against the Holy Spirit will not be forgiven? What does it mean to blaspheme the Holy Spirit?