

Sermon Based Study Questions for 3.1.2015 Sermon
One Step Behind Jesus: Judas' Betrayal
Luke 22:1-6

**Big Idea: If we allow sin to go unchecked in our lives
we will allow Satan the opportunity to gain influence in our life.**

Ice Breaker Questions – (choose one to answer/ask)

- In our English vernacular, being a “Judas” means being a betrayer. If we used your name for a common term, what would your name mean?
- Have you ever had a “Judas” in your life? How did that feel?

Opening Questions

- Is there anything from Sunday's sermon that really stood out, made an impression, challenged or confused you?
- If even Judas, a disciple of Jesus, could fool everybody, how can we be sure someone is really following Jesus? (Matthew 7)
- Where did sin first gain a foothold in Judas' life? (John 12:6)
Do you think that could happen to you?
- What are some of the most subtle “door jammers” in our culture right now?
- Why do you think Jesus allowed Judas' sin to continue unchecked?

Bible Study

Read Luke 22:1-6

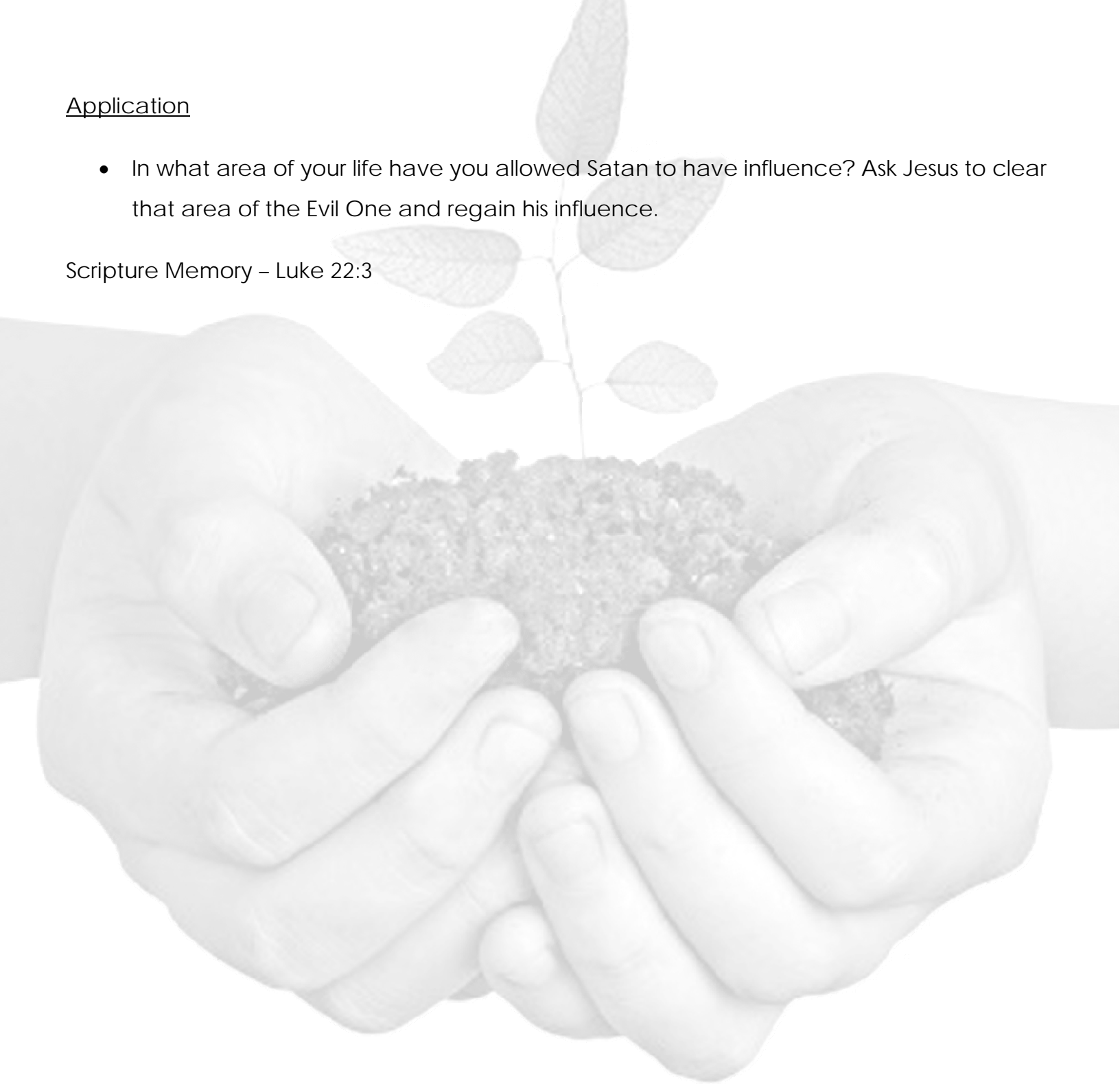
- What does the fear of the people have to do with the reason the chief priests were seeking Jesus' death? (v.2)
- When verse 3 says Satan entered Judas, what does that mean? (Acts 5:3)
- What does this verse reveal about the balance between Judas being “controlled” by Satan and his own complicity? (v.6)
- Why did Judas try and find a place to betray Jesus where there was not a crowd? (v.6)

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Application

- In what area of your life have you allowed Satan to have influence? Ask Jesus to clear that area of the Evil One and regain his influence.

Scripture Memory – Luke 22:3



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