

**Sermon Based Study Questions for 11.016.2014**  
**One Step Behind Jesus: Let His Word Speak**  
**Luke 20:41-47**

Each Sunday we open the pages of God's Word together. We read it and seek to apply it to our lives. We do this because we are convinced His Word is unlike any other document. It has supernatural power. It is alive and active. It is able to direct the course of our lives – if we read and apply it. The decision is ours...will we let His Word speak to us?

**Next Step: Engage God's Word with humility!**

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

- Is Bible reading a regular part of your life? In what way?
- How have you seen God's word misused and abused?

Opening Questions

- Is there anything from Sunday's sermon that really stood out, made an impression, challenged or confused you?
- What are some signs that people are NOT approaching God's word with humility?
- How do people water down the identity of Jesus today? Who is Jesus to them?
- How can we tell religious imposters in today's world?
- In what area of your life is pride the most evident?
- How can you tell if hypocrisy is in a person's life?
- What does God mean by Hebrews 4:12?

Bible Study

Luke 20:41-47

- What does Psalm 110:1 prove about the identity of Jesus? (vs.42-43)
- What is the answer to Jesus' question in verse 43? (Romans 1:3-4)
- What sins was Jesus accusing the religious leaders of in verses 46-47?
- What type of punishment do you think Jesus is referencing in verse 47? (James 3:1)

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## Application

- Make sure you are reading God's word each day, even just a little bit. What needs to change so you can?
- Search your heart to determine if you are approaching God's word with pride in any area. Confess your pride and allow God to humble you.

Scripture to memorize –



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