

- ◆ How we understand _____ impacts the way we live out our faith.

Who is my neighbor?

- ◆ 1st century Judaism, my neighbor = someone _____.

But he wanted to justify himself, so he asked Jesus,
“And who is my neighbor?” *Luke 10:29*

- ◆ The expert is asking, “Jesus, what are the _____?”
◆ The Priest and Levite _____ the man and did nothing.
◆ _____ = to be moved to the foundation of your being.

Which of these three do you think was a neighbor to the man who fell into the hands of robbers? *Luke 10:36*

- ◆ The _____ question = _____ is my neighbor?
◆ Jesus _____ the question to “who can _____ be a neighbor to?”
◆ Neighbor = the one who is _____.

The expert in the law replied, “the one who had mercy on him. *Luke 10:37*”

- ◆ _____ = compassion expressed in _____. Jm 2:15-16; 1 Jn 3:17-18

Four Practical Questions:

1. _____ should I be a neighbor? When I _____ the need.
2. _____ should I be a neighbor to? _____ in need.
3. _____? Being a neighbor always involves a _____.
4. _____ should I be a neighbor? We _____ mercy because we have _____ mercy. Lk 6:36; Eph 4:32; Col 3:13

God, open my eyes today. Open my eyes to the people around me. Open my eyes to the needs You've placed in front of me. Open my eyes to the opportunities You've already given me to be a neighbor. And by Your grace, make me the kind of person who sees, who feels compassion, and who responds with mercy. Amen.