

Sermon Notes – October 27, 2024

The Forgotten Priority of Jesus (*Luke 12:49-13:5*)

- I. The priority of DIVISION. (*Vss. 49-53*)
 - A. The separation of believers and unbelievers.
 - 1. Over the person of Jesus.
 - 2. Over the mission of Jesus.
 - B. The separation of false teaching and prophecy.
 - 1. The Old Testament declaration: Micah 7:6
 - 2. The New Testament prophecy: Luke 2:34,35
 - C. The separation of works righteousness and the cross.
 - 1. The foolishness of the cross: I Corinthians 1:18a
 - 2. The power of the cross: I Corinthians 1:18b-31.

- II. The priority of RECONCILIATION. (*Vss. 54-58*)
 - A. God has declared the gospel.
 - 1. Through His Son: 2 Corinthians 5:18-21; John 20:30,31
 - B. God has proven the gospel.
 - 1. Through His Son's life, death and resurrection: Hebrews 1:1-4

- III. The priority of REPENTANCE. (*Vss. 12:59-13:1-5*)
 - A. The message of the Bible: REPENT!
 - B. The status of humanity: ALL HAVE SINNED!
 - C. The result of history: JUDGEMENT!
 - 1. Romans 6:23
 - 2. Hebrews 9:27-28
 - 3. Philippians 2:9-11