**FOR EVEN THE SON OF MAN**

Mark 10:32-52

Key Verse 10:45 “For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.”

1. Why were the disciples astonished and those who followed afraid? (32-34) What further details did Jesus share with the twelve about impending events and why?

2. How does the request of James and John reveal their failure to understand Jesus’ teaching? (35-37; cf. 9:35)

3. What is Jesus referring to by “the cup and the baptism”? (38-39) How did they respond? (39) What could Jesus not promise? (40)

4. Why were the ten indignant? (41) What did Jesus teach them about the difference between greatness in God's kingdom and greatness in the world? (42-44)

5. How does verse 45 illustrate the purpose of Jesus’ coming? How does Jesus set an example for us to follow? (cf. Luke 22:26-27, John 13:14-15)

6. How did Bartimaeus draw attention from Jesus in spite of the crowd’s discouragement? (46-49) What did Jesus ask him and how is his answer different from that of James and John? (51)