

**The Mercy of the Son of David**  
**Mark 10:46-52**  
November 28, 2021

**1. A cry to the Son of David for mercy (46-48)**

**2. The mercy of the Son of David (49-52)**

*Next week:* Mark 11:1-11

*By Steve Sherman, Pastor of Christian Fellowship Church, East Brunswick, NJ.*

## Discussion Questions

The following questions are designed to be used by parents in discussing the sermon with their children, but can be used by anyone in discussing the sermon with others:

1. What stood out to you in this sermon? Why?
2. When Jesus was interrupted by a blind beggar, what was Jesus on His way to do? See Mark 10:32-34.
3. If you had been in Jesus' place, do you think you would have shown mercy to Bartimaeus? Why or why not?
4. What was life like for a blind person like Bartimaeus?
5. What does it mean that Jesus is the Son of David?
6. How did Jesus show mercy in this passage? What are some other examples of mercy in the gospels?
7. Do you need Christ's mercy? Why or why not?

### Going Deeper:

These questions are designed for the believer to use in prayer with his/her Lord, and in discussion with brothers and sisters in the Lord:

1. How did this sermon challenge your thinking, or grow your understanding?
2. How does Christ's title, "the Son of David," stand in contrast to His role as the suffering servant (10:45)?
3. How is mercy different from grace?
4. In what ways do you need Christ's mercy throughout the week?
5. What obstacles do you face in calling out to Christ for mercy? Do you persist in seeking Christ's mercy? Explain.
6. Are you more like James & John in 10:35-37, or Bartimaeus in this passage? Explain.
7. What strikes you most about Christ's mercy as seen in this passage? Why?
8. What is the primary way you should be affected by this passage this week?