

The Authority of King Jesus
Mark 1:21-28
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1. The authority of King Jesus revealed in His teaching (21-22)

2. The authority of King Jesus over demons (23-28)

Next week: Mark 1:29-34

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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. What was a synagogue?
3. What was unusual about the synagogue service recorded in this passage?
4. How did Christ's teaching of God's Word compare to other teaching of God's Word in His day?
5. What is a demon?
6. How did the demon react to the presence, teaching, and command of King Jesus? Why?
7. What does this passage teach about Jesus?

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. Have you heard preachers who preached with authority, and other preachers who did not? What does it mean for a Christian preacher to preach with authority?
2. Can a Christian be possessed by a demon? Back up your answer with Scripture.
3. How did the demon's knowledge of Christ compare to that of most of the people in the synagogue? What is the significance of this?
4. What does this passage show about Christ's mission? What are some other verses that speak of this aspect of Christ's mission?
5. How did most of the people in Capernaum respond to Christ? What is the significance of this?
6. How should you be affected by this passage? How should you apply it to your life this week?