

## STUDY GUIDE: Week 3 – Luke 11 – 15

**Monday: Read Luke 11.** What miracle did Jesus perform in vv. 14-28? What three reactions emerged from the crowd (vv. 14-16)? What was Jesus' point in vv. 24-26? Is just cleaning up our lives enough? To avoid becoming an easy target for Satan, what do we need to fill our lives with? In vv. 42-44, what four woes did Jesus direct toward the Pharisees? What was he criticizing in each instance? Which of these has your name on it? In what ways would you like to see your life change, even this week?

**Tuesday: Read Luke 12.** Warnings & Encouragements (1-12). How do you feel knowing everything in secret will be revealed? When have you stood for Jesus in public and risked in a real way? The Parable of the Rich Fool (13-21). When have you been like this man? Is, or is not life more than your possessions? Don't Worry, be Watchful (22-48). On a scale of 1-10, what's the "worry quotient" in your life right now? What definitive act could you do to settle "Where your heart is" right now and for the rest of your life? Peace, Division, & the Times (49-59). What has Christ brought you: peace or division? What signs in your own life indicate how you're doing?

**Wednesday: Read Luke 13.** Current Events & A Crippled Woman Healed on the Sabbath (1-17). Like the fig tree, if you had "one more year" to turn your life around, what would you do? Start today! Parables of the Mustard Seed, Yeast, and the Narrow Door (18-30). When have you felt your faith was too small? How do you know you are inside or outside of the Kingdom? Jesus' Sorrow (31-35). What concerns you about your spiritual condition of your heart? The church? The nation?

**Thursday: Read Luke 14.** Jesus at a Pharisee's House (1-14). Based on Jesus' teaching, who would you invite to the party? Parable of the Great Banquet (15-24). Why do think so many people say "no" to God's banquet? The Cost of Being a Disciple (25-35). Did you ever realize following Jesus is costly? How did you find out?

**Friday: Read Luke 15.** The Gospel within the Gospel: Parables of the Lost Sheep, Coin, and Son. Just soak these in. Imagine—(v.5) the sinner lifted up by God Himself; and (v.20): God...on the neck of a sinner! And note the celebrations that ensue. Who are you most like?