SERMON NOTES MAR 14, 2021

## **Blessed Are The Meek** | Trent Thompson

Followers of Christ have to regularly grow in meekness. Why?

What is meekness?

What meekness is not:

## What does meekness look like in action?

- Jesus (Matthew 11:28-30)
- Moses (Numbers 12:1-11)
- Meekness means being teachable. (James 1:19-21)
- Meekness means highly valuing unity with other believers. (Ephesians 4:1-3)
- Meekness means being as gentle as possible when correcting wrong beliefs in other believers. (2 Corinthians 10:1-6)
- Meekness means having nothing to do with foolish controversies. (2 Timothy 2:23-26)

From where does meekness come?

- 1. Which passage of Scripture stood out to you from those referenced in the sermon? Why?
- 2. What primary lesson did you take away from the sermon regarding meekness?
- 3. Can you think of a time in the past when you failed to be meek? Thinking back on that event, can you recall what went on in your heart and mind that prevented you from being meek?
- 4. Is there a current situation in your life that calls for more meekness than you've shown up to this point? What will you do to demonstrate meekness going forward?
- 5. Isaiah 29:19 tells us that God will give fresh joy to those who are meek. What ways can you imagine you would experience joy by choosing to be meek?

## **Challenge Verse**

Each week we want to challenge you to memorize a verse(s) related to the sermon. This week's verse is **Matthew 5:5**:

Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth.