**Matthew Questions**

Matthew 1:

1. What does this chapter focus on?
2. What does the name “Jesus” mean?
3. What does the name “Christ” mean?
4. What was Tamar guilty of?
5. Who was Rahab?
6. Who was Joseph?
7. What does the name Immanuel mean?
8. What was Joseph’s reaction after the angel spoke to him?

Matthew 2:

1. Where was Jesus born?
2. What does the name “Bethlehem” mean?
3. Who was the king during the time that Jesus Christ was born?
4. What were Magi?
5. Where did the Magi come from?
6. What was Herod’s reaction when he heard about the birth of Christ?
7. What “led” the Magi?
8. Why didn’t the Magi go back to Herod?
9. How did Joseph and Mary know that they were not to return to Jerusalem?
10. Where did they go?
11. How long did they stay there?
12. What did Herod do when he realized that he had been outwitted by the Magi?
13. What prophet predicted what Herod would do? (Cite the scripture reference)
14. Who was Archelaus?
15. Where did Joseph eventually settle his family?

Matthew 3:

1. Who came preaching in the desert of Judea?
2. What was his message?
3. What prophet foretold about John?
4. What was John’s clothing made of?
5. What did John eat?
6. After hearing John’s message what did the people do?
7. What was John’s reaction when he saw the Pharisees and Sadducees coming to him?
8. What did John baptize with?
9. What would Jesus baptize with?
10. What was John not fit to carry?
11. Who came to John to be baptized?
12. Why did Jesus need to be baptized?
13. What descended upon Jesus at His baptism?
14. What did the people hear and what was its message?

Matthew 4:

1. Where was Jesus led?
2. Who was going to tempt him?
3. How long did Jesus fast?
4. What were the three temptations that Jesus faced?
5. How did Jesus resist temptations?
6. How are the kingdoms of the world described?
7. According to Jesus, who are we to worship and serve?
8. Who came to attend Jesus?
9. Who was put into prison?
10. Complete this: “…the people living in darkness have \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_”
11. What message did Jesus preach?

Matthew 5:

1. What did Jesus do when he saw the crowds?
2. What did Jesus say about salt?
3. What did Jesus say about light?
4. Why do we want people to see our good deeds?
5. What did Jesus come to do with the Law and the prophets?
6. Who will be called great in the Kingdom of Heaven?
7. Who will be in danger of hell?
8. How is adultery defined by Jesus Christ?
9. What does Jesus say about divorce?
10. What should be our reaction as Christians when someone wrongs us?
11. We are commanded to be what?

Matthew 6:

1. What did the hypocrites do when they gave to the needy?
2. Where are we to pray?
3. When will the Father forgive us?
4. How are we to fast?
5. Why are we not to store up treasures for ourselves on earth?
6. What happens when we try to serve two masters?
7. What are we not to worry about?
8. What are we to seek first?

Matthew 7:

1. What warning does Jesus give about judging?
2. Before we take a speck of sawdust out of someone else’s eye what are we to do?
3. What does Matthew 7:7 teach us about prayer?
4. How are we to treat others?
5. Describe the two gates a person may enter.
6. How do we recognize false teachers?
7. How did the people react to Jesus’ teachings and why did they react the way they did?

Matthew 8:

1. What did Jesus do to the leper?
2. What did Jesus command the leper to do?
3. What did the centurion ask Jesus to do?
4. Who will be thrown *outside*?
5. What does the idea of being *outside* mean?
6. Who was sick at Peter’s house?
7. What did Jesus do for her?
8. Who prophesied “He took up our infirmities…”?

Matthew 9:

1. How did the teachers of the Law react to Jesus’ statement to the paralytic, “your sins are forgiven”?
2. Who was Matthew?
3. Besides Jesus, who else came to Matthew’s house for dinner?
4. How did the Pharisees react to Jesus being at Matthew’s house?
5. What does Jesus desire more than sacrifice?
6. Who has Jesus come to call?
7. Who came to Jesus because his daughter had died?
8. How was Jesus treated by the flute players and crowd as he was entering into the ruler’s house?

Matthew 10:

1. What authority did Jesus give His disciples?
2. Who were the disciples told to go to?
3. What were they not to take along with them?
4. The disciples were to be as shrewd as what and as innocent as what?
5. What are we to be afraid of?
6. If we disown Jesus what will He do to us?
7. What will we find if we “lose” our life?

Matthew 11:

1. How did Jesus answer John’s question, “Are you the one?”
2. What was Jesus accused of doing?
3. Why did Jesus denounce some of the cities where He was performing miracles?
4. What was the judgment of Sodom?
5. What did Jesus about rest?

Matthew 12:

1. What is the Sabbath?
2. What did David do on the Sabbath when he and his men were hungry?
3. Is it lawful to heal on the Sabbath?
4. Out of the overflow of the heart comes what?

Matthew 13:

1. What does the seed represent?
2. What do the different soils represent?
3. What did the seed that fell on good soil produce?
4. Jesus used five different illustrations to describe what the Kingdom of Heaven is like. What are they?
5. Why do you think the people in Jesus’ hometown would not listen to Him?
6. Because of their unbelief, what couldn’t Jesus do?

Matthew 14:

1. Who did Herod think Jesus was?
2. Who was Herodias?
3. Who danced before Herod and his guests?
4. What request did the “dancer” make to Herod?
5. What did Jesus do when He saw waves buffeting the boat of His disciples?
6. How did the disciples react when they saw Jesus?
7. What disciple walked on water?

Matthew 15:

1. What makes a person “unclean”?
2. What can come out of the heart?
3. How many people did Jesus feed in the hills near the Sea of Galilee?

Matthew 16:

1. Who came to test Jesus?
2. Who did Peter testify that Jesus was?
3. Why did Jesus call Peter “satan”?
4. According to Jesus what must we do to follow Him?

Matthew 17:

1. What was the transfiguration?
2. Who accompanied Jesus up the mountain?
3. What OT personalities appeared to Jesus?
4. What did the disciples want to do for Jesus and what did the voice from heaven say to him?
5. Why couldn’t the disciples expel the demon?

Matthew 18:

1. According to Jesus, who is the greatest in the Kingdom of Heaven?
2. What should a Christian do when a brother sins against him?
3. How many times are we to forgive someone?
4. What happens to the person who will not forgive?

Matthew 19:

1. What is the only reason Jesus gives for divorce?
2. How did Jesus treat children?
3. What does Jesus promise those who follow Him?

Matthew 20:

1. What did the mother of Zebedee want for her sons?
2. Whoever wants to be great among you must be what?
3. What did the Son of Man come to do?

Matthew 21:

1. What did Jesus send two disciples to do at Bethphage?
2. What did Jesus do in the temple area?
3. In the parable of the tenants who does the landowner represent?
4. Who does the landowner’s son represent
5. What did the landlord do to the tenants and why?

Matthew 22:

1. What were some of the excuses made for why people would not come to the wedding banquet?
2. What happened to the man who was not dressed in wedding clothes?
3. What did the Sadducees teach about the resurrection?
4. What is the greatest Commandment?
5. What is the second greatest commandment?

Matthew 23:

1. What does the word “woe” mean?
2. The person who exalts himself/herself will be what?
3. The person who humbles himself/herself will be what?
4. How are we to clean a cup?

Matthew 24:

1. What are some of the signs of the end of the age?
2. Who will be saved?
3. What lesson can we learn from the fig tree?
4. What will never pass away?
5. Who knows about the day and the hour of the end of the age?

Matthew 25:

1. Why were the five virgins called foolish?
2. Why were the five virgins called wise?
3. Who does the Bridegroom represent?
4. If we are faithful in a few things what will God do for us?
5. What do the sheep and goats represent?

Matthew 26:

1. What was the Passover in the Old Testament?
2. Who were plotting to arrest Jesus?
3. Who agreed to betray Jesus?
4. For how much was Jesus betrayed?
5. What happened to Malcus?
6. Who was Caiaphas?
7. Who followed at a distance?
8. How many times did Peter deny Jesus?

Matthew 27:

1. Who was Pilate?
2. What happened to Judas?
3. Why did not the chief priest put the “returned” money back into the treasury?
4. Who prophesied about the buying of the “potter’s field” for 30 silver coins?
5. Who was Barabas?
6. Why did Pilate was his hands?
7. What was the praetorium?
8. What does Golgotha mean?
9. Who was the man who was made to carry Jesus’ cross?
10. What does the words, “Eloi, Eloi, lama sabachtani” mean?
11. Who did the people think Jesus was calling?
12. When Jesus cried out and gave up His spirit what happened in the temple and what is the significance of this?
13. What did the centurion say?
14. Who was Joseph of Arimathea?

Matthew 28:

1. On the first day of the week who went to the tomb at dawn?
2. Who came and spoke to the women?
3. Where did the angel tell the women they would see Jesus?
4. What were the guards supposed to report about Jesus?
5. What is the Great Commission? (Memorize v. 18-20)

**Mark Questions**

Chapter 1:

V.1 How is Jesus Christ described? What does this personally mean to you?

V. 2 Who foretold the coming of Jesus Christ?

V. 4 What was John’s message?

V. 8 John would baptize with what and Jesus would baptize with what?

 What do each represent?

V. 10 The Holy Spirit descended upon Jesus like what?

V. 12 Who sent Jesus into the wilderness?

V. 13 Who tempted Jesus during this time?

V. 15 What was Jesus’ basic message?

V. 17 Jesus calls people to follow Him. What does this personally mean to you?

V. 13-27 Who obeyed Jesus Christ?

V. 29-31 Where did Jesus go, what did he find there, and what did he do?

V. 35-37 What did Jesus do early in the morning?

 What is your devotional life like at this time of the semester?

V. 40-45 Who did Jesus touch?

 Why do you think He did this?

 Is there anyone you need to touch with the love of Jesus Christ?

Chapter 2:

V. 5 What did Jesus say to the paralytic?

 What has Jesus done with your sins?

V. 14 What is another name for Matthew?

V. 15-16 How did the Pharisees react to Jesus eating with tax collectors?

 How do you respond to the needs of sinners?

V. 17 Who did Jesus Christ come to call?

V. 18-22 Why weren’t the disciples of Jesus fasting?

V. 27-28 What do you think Jesus meant when He stated that “the Sabbath as made for man, not man for the Sabbath”?

Chapter 3:

V. 1-6 What did Jesus do to the man with the shriveled up hand?

V. 13-14 Why did Jesus designate 12 apostles?

V. 22 Who is Beelzebub?

 Who were the teachers of the Law saying was possessed by Beelzubub?

 Have you ever been misunderstood? How did it make you feel?

Chapter 4:

V. 2 What did Jesus use to teach the crowds?

V. 3-20 What soil represents your heart? Why?

Chapter 5:

In this chapter we see spiritual warfare taking place. What are your views regarding spiritual warfare? (Refer to this chapter as you give your answer)

Chapter 6:

V. 14 Who did King Herod think Jesus Christ was?

V. 17-20 Why did Herodias nurse a grudge against John?

 Have you ever nursed a grudge against someone?

 What did you do to resolve this grudge?

V. 31 What does Jesus tell His disciples to do?

 When was the last time you got away and spent “quiet” time with God?

 Why is it important for us to “get away”?

V. 50 What did Jesus speak to His disciples?

 Are you harboring any fears in your life today? What should we do with them?

Chapter 7:

V. 6-8 What criticism did Jesus have regarding the Pharisees and teachers of the Law?

 What is a hypocrite?

 Have you ever been in danger of only giving lip service to God?

 How should your worship to God be?

Chapter 8:

V. 1-13 What need did the crowd have? What did Jesus Christ do with the need?

 What need do you have at this moment?

 Do you believe God is big enough to take care of your need(s)?

Chapter 9:

V. 1-13 Who did Jesus see at the Transfiguration?

 What did the voice from the cloud say?

 Are you listening to God? What is He saying to you?

V. 33-37 How does Jesus define greatness?

Chapter 10:

V. 1-12 What is Jesus’ message about divorce?

V. 17-31 Why is it so hard for the rich to enter into heaven?

 How does this relate to our society?

 How does this relate to you, personally?

Chapter 11:

V. 17 What do you think Jesus meant when He said. “My house will be called a house of prayer for all nations”?

Chapter 12:

V. 30 How are we to love God?

 How would you “rate” yourself in regards to the above question?

Chapter 13:

There are some who teach that Christians will not suffer or go through difficult times.

What does chapter 13 say about this?

V. 31 What will pass away and what will remain? What does this mean to you personally?

Chapter 14

V.1- 9 React to the following statement: "Mary wasted good perfume on Jesus".

Chapter 15

As you read this chapter, take time to pray, asking God to reveal to you the horrors of what took place.

Chapter 16

How does the statement "after the dark of night, comes the light of day" relate to this chapter?

V. 15 What are we commanded to do?