

## **Session 2: Jesus' Compassion**

The Emotions of Christ – Monday Night Meetings 2021

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### **I. Define: Word used to describe Jesus' compassion**

#### **A. *Splanchnizomai***

1. To have pity or compassion on someone.
2. To have one's heart go out to someone usually because of some perceived need in the person.

### **II. Observe: Circumstances in which Jesus' compassion is displayed**

#### **A. *Sheep without a shepherd: Matthew 9:35-38***

#### **B. *Raising of the widow's son: Luke 7:11-17***

#### **C. *Feeding of the 5000: Matthew 14:13-14; Mark 6:34***

#### **D. *Feeding of the 4000: Mark 8:2; Matthew 15:32;***

#### **E. *Healing of two blind men: Matthew 20:29-34***

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### III. Learn: Lessons drawn from Jesus' compassion

#### A. *Have we personally experienced Jesus' heart of compassion?*

1. Jesus' compassion knows no \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Jesus' compassion is individual and \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Jesus' compassion is at times \_\_\_\_\_ and spontaneous.
4. Jesus' compassion is what naturally comes out of him in the face of need, no matter how \_\_\_\_\_.
5. Jesus' compassion is stirred both in the presence of our \_\_\_\_\_ needs and especially in the presence of our \_\_\_\_\_ needs.
6. Jesus' compassion is easily \_\_\_\_\_ even by the most insignificant people.
7. Jesus' compassion always moves him to act for our \_\_\_\_\_.
8. Jesus' compassion is expressed at a great \_\_\_\_\_ to himself.

#### B. *Do we exercise a heart of compassion towards others?*

1. Love divine, all loves excelling,  
joy of heav'n, to earth come down,  
fix in us thy humble dwelling,  
all thy faithful mercies crown.  
Jesus, thou art all compassion,  
pure, unbounded love thou art.  
Visit us with thy salvation;  
enter ev'ry trembling heart.      (Charles Wesley)