

SERMON OUTLINE & DISCUSSION QUESTIONS
JUNE 18, 2023

JESUS' AUTHORITY AND POWER
TO RESCUE FROM SATAN
LUKE 4:31-37

MAIN THOUGHT & OUTLINE

Jesus' authoritative and powerful word triumphs over Satan and sets you free.

- I.** Jesus' Authority & Power Challenged by Satan (v.31-34)
- II.** Jesus' Authority & Power Conquers Satan (v.35-37)

QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION & DISCUSSION

1. What is the foundation for the church's authority and the authority of preaching today? Why does this matter?
2. How would you respond to someone who is afraid of being possessed by a demon today? Or to someone who is dabbling in the occult and is obsessed with Satan's power rather than Christ's?
3. What comfort does Christ's word bring to your heart today?
4. Covenant children – what should you do if you are afraid of Satan or of evil in the world? To whom can you turn?

FURTHER READING: Mark 1:22; Luke 10:13-15; Acts 16:16-18; James 2:19; 1 Peter 5:8-9