

THE POLARIZING NATURE OF JESUS

Matthew 7:28-29

"And when Jesus finished these sayings, the crowds were \_\_\_\_\_ at His teaching, for He was teaching them as one who had \_\_\_\_\_ and not as their scribes."

Jesus said He came from \_\_\_\_\_ John 6:38; John 1:1; John 1:14

Jesus said, "I am the \_\_\_\_\_" Daniel 7:13-14; Matthew 24:29-30

Jesus said, "I am \_\_\_\_\_" Mark 10:17-18; John 5:18; Mark 14:61-64; John 8:58-59

Jesus said, "My \_\_\_\_\_ prove I am God." John 11:47, 10:36b-39 & 20:30-31

Jesus said, "I am without \_\_\_\_\_" John 8:46

Peter, John, Paul Acts 3:14; 1 Peter 1:19, 2:22 & 3:18; 1 John 3:5; 2 Corinthians 5:12

Jesus' half-brother, James.

Jesus said, "I have the authority to \_\_\_\_\_ sins." Luke 5:17-26

Jesus commanded people to \_\_\_\_\_ to Him. John 14:13-14, 15:16 & 16:24

Jesus said, "I am the only way to \_\_\_\_\_" John 14:6; Acts 14:12

Resources:

C.S. Lewis, Mere Christianity, pp. 4-41

Mark Driscoll and Gerry Breshears, Vintage Jesus, pp. 11-27

Mark Clark, The Problem Of God, pp. 203-220



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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Elders are available for prayer after all services in the West Prayer Chapel.

### ALL CHURCH

**Love Gives:** This year Love Gives will benefit 2 organizations that combat human trafficking both locally & globally: Street Hope TN & El Pozo De Vida, operating in Mexico City. Give Love & learn more about these organizations at [2RC.tv/LoveGives](https://2RC.tv/LoveGives).

**Christmas Decor Volunteers Needed:** We will be decorating the church for Christmas on Monday, **November 27 at 9:30A**, and many hands are needed to help! If you are interested in volunteering to spread a little Christmas cheer, just show up! Coffee & donuts provided.

### IMPACT

**Christmas Cards For Missionaries:** Come to the **Café Corner Desk on November 25/26** between services to write a Christmas card that we will send to 2RC missionaries around the world & bless them this holiday season. Cards will be provided & collected at the desk. Just come and write your note of encouragement & blessing for our missionaries!

### KIDS

**Birthday Party For Jesus:** A time for kids ages 2 yrs.-Kindergarten & their parents to celebrate Jesus' birth. Enjoy crafts, cupcakes, carols & hearing about the birth of Jesus! Join us Saturday, **December 2 from 10:00A-12:00P** in the main lobby & the Riverbank.

**Anchor Class:** The Anchor is a 30-minute class for parents & kids (K-5th) to learn about what it means to have a personal relationship with Jesus. The next Anchor class is November 19 at 11:00A in the Conference Room. Please sign up to attend at [2RC.tv/Anchor](https://2RC.tv/Anchor).

### CARE

**Become A Stephen Minister:** Do you have a heart to provide one-to-one care to others? Become a Stephen Minister! If you are interested in being a part of the next Stephen Minister Training Class, email [StephenMinistry@2RC.tv](mailto:StephenMinistry@2RC.tv) or visit **Get Connected** by November 26.

## PRAYER REQUESTS

I PRAYED TO RECEIVE CHRIST TODAY!

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## MID-WEEK TIMES

**MSM (6-8 Grade)**  
Wednesday 6:30-8:30P  
[River Splash | 2RC.tv/MSM](https://2RC.tv/MSM)

**FUEL (9-12 Grade)**  
Wednesday 6:30-8:30P  
[Student Center | 2RC.tv/FUEL](https://2RC.tv/FUEL)

**The Well (Prayer & Worship)**  
No Well on November 22  
[River Room | 2RC.tv/WELL](https://2RC.tv/WELL)

**1829 (18-29 years old)**  
1st Thursday 7:00-8:30P  
[The Shed | 2RC.tv/1829](https://2RC.tv/1829)

## NEXT STEPS

Learn more about these opportunities to explore, connect & engage at [2RC.tv/NextSteps](https://2RC.tv/NextSteps)

### EXPLORE

- ▶ Find a worship venue
- ▶ Complete a connection card
- ▶ Attend a Taste of Two Rivers

### CONNECT

- ▶ Visit Staff at Get Connected
- ▶ Join The City
- ▶ Register for Wade In

### ENGAGE

- ▶ Join a Group
- ▶ Find a place to serve
- ▶ Share your story
- ▶ Partner with us

## LIVE IT OUT

Find this week's full study guide at [2RC.tv/StudyGuide](https://2RC.tv/StudyGuide)

### Putting The Bible Into Practice:

What perceptions do people have about Jesus? Which ones impacted you? What sets Jesus apart from all other spiritual leaders? Describe a time you were awed or outraged at Jesus.

Where are you on your journey with Jesus – still exploring, returning or committed? Explain. Review & discuss each of the 8 statements Jesus made. Which most impacts you & why? What are some practical everyday things we do that demonstrate Jesus is our God?

Jesus described Himself 7 times using 'I Am' (divine name of God given to Moses). Review & discuss how these verses show Jesus being God & how you have experienced Him in these ways: John 6:35, 8:12, 10:9, 10:11, 11:25-26, 14:6 & 15:1. How would you describe Jesus?

### Challenge:

Decide what you believe. Is Jesus God? Then love, worship & obey Him with all your heart.

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