

# Matthew 12 Jesus Christ is God's Elect

Main Service 8/30/2020

CHAPTER OUTLINE: Jesus is Greater than  
1. the Sabbath (v 1-21) 2. Satan (v 22-37) 3. signs(v 38-50)

## I. Jesus is Greater than the Sabbath v 1 - 21

v 14 *council* - negative in scripture (Mt 12:14, 26:59, Mk 14:55, 15:1, Lk 22:66, Jn 11:47)

hx: **John 5:16-18** spir: **Acts 5:19-20, 26-32**

He is God's Chosen (doctrinal Elect) Mt 12:18-21 = **Isa 42:1-4** 1st ref

historical: the Nation ISRAEL is God's elect to birth the Messiah **Isa 45:4** 2nd ref

spiritual: the Church is God's elect to carry out the great commission **Rom 8:33** 10th ref

**Eph 1:4-5 1 Thes 1:4**

this world's 2 major sins

v 19 *not strive* - **2 Tim 2:23-24 James 3:16** 1. envy = I want what you have  
2. strife = I want you to think as I do

## II. Jesus is Greater than Satan v 22 - 37

v 22 Jesus can take hostages away from Satan

note: brought unto him sp: We must bring them to Jesus

v 23 *the son of David* = the Messiah, **Mt 22:42**

v 26 Lincoln speech June 16, 1858

thoughts : 1. Jesus proves his he has the Messiah's power v 22  
2. division is destructive v 26  
3. denial is illogical v 27  
4. the Stronger wins battles v 29 (28)  
5. Neutrality is not possible v 30