

Sermon: What's It All About, Jesus?
Scripture: John 9:1-12

Introduction

- I. Explanation of John 9:1-12
- II. Our questions
- III. Our problems
 - A. Why are they present? From what or whom did they arise?
 1. The Fall
 2. Chastening from the Lord (Hebrews 12:8-9)
 3. Consequences of our sin
 4. Collateral damage
 5. God's providence
 - B. What is their purpose?
 1. God's glory (vs. 3)
 2. "Good" (Romans 8:28)
 3. Christians becoming more like God (I Thess. 4:3a; Heb. 12:10-11; John 15:1-2; Heb. 5:7-8)
 - C. What are our priorities?
 - D. Help for us and others – how to move beyond good feelings and legitimate answers – pointing ourselves and others to God's person and promises.
- IV. Our calling (vs. 3-5; Matt. 5:14-16; Eph. 2:10)