Jesus – the servant King



Our Bible reading

John chapter 13 verses 1 – 17

(Jesus washes the disciples feet)

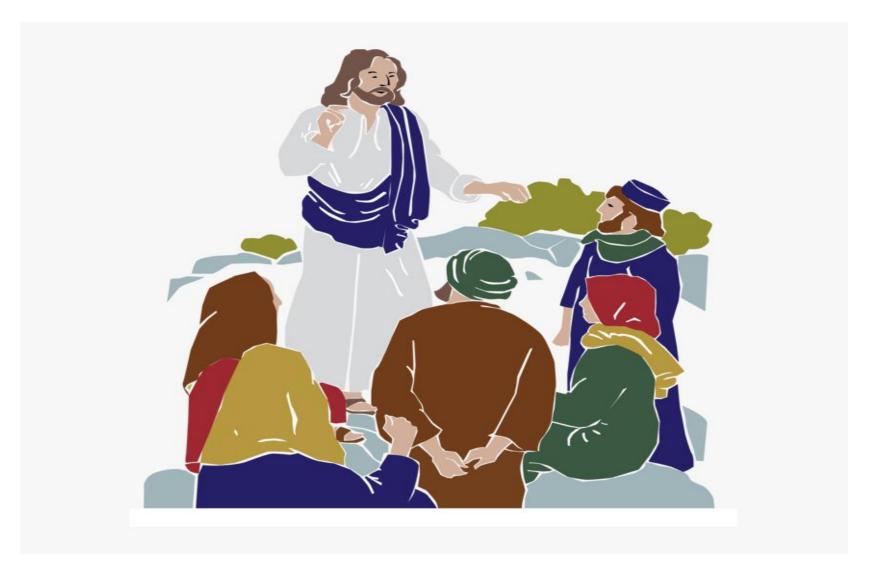
Balance



Identity



Teaching



Jesus balance between Leader and Servant John 13: 3 - 5

Jesus knew that the Father had put all things under his power, and that he had come from God and was returning to God; so he got up from the meal, took off his outer clothing, and wrapped a towel around his waist.

After that, he poured water into a basin and began to wash his disciples' feet, drying them with the towel that was wrapped around him

What makes a good leader?

Delegates

Has a clear vision

Inspires

Commands respect

Develops/motivates

Leader

Confidence

Leads by example

Listens/Communicates

Strong decision maker

Maintains personal integrity

Honest

Sense of humour

Some famous leaders

- Winston Churchill
- Adolf Hitler
- Sir Alex Ferguson
- Richard Branson
- Martin Luther King
- Gandhi
- Jesus

What makes a good servant?

Dedicated

Loyal

Hard working

Caring

Humble

Trustworthy

Servant

Listens/Communicates

Selfless

Maintains personal integrity

Honest

Sense of humour

Jesus Identity John 13:13

"You call me 'teacher' and 'Lord', and rightly so, for that is what I am".

Jesus the Teacher John 13: 14 - 17

"Now that I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also should wash one another's feet. I have set you an example that you should do as I have done for you. Very truly I tell you, no servant is greater than his master, nor is a messenger greater than the one who sent him. Now that you know these things, you will be blessed if you do them".

Jesus never BIT off more than he could chew

B – Jesus lived out the perfect **Balance** between servant and leader

— Jesus was totally confident in his **Identity** as the Son of God

T — Jesus always left people with a **Teaching** point