

Series: Journey with the Master Sermon: Tenacious Disciple-Making

Luke 8:4-15

Sermon Discussion Questions

- 1. Being tenacious and determined can at times be healthy and at other times unhealthy. Share a few examples of each, and why it is so for each.
- 2. In the parable of the soils, Jesus is teaching that disciple-making is difficult because of unbelief, requiring tenacity. What type of soil/person seems like a lost cause to you and why? Discuss.
- 3. The roots of unbelief are deep. In vs. 8b-10 why does understanding spiritual truth become secretive & mysterious? How does tenacity help?
- 4. Vs. 11-15 say: *The seed is the good news of God's word*. What does the soil condition have to do with how the seed is received? With our need to be tenacious in disciple-making. Discuss
 - A. Hard "pathway" soil
 - B. Rocky "shallow" soil
 - C. Thorny "cluttered" soil
 - D. Good "receptive" soil

Closing Questions:

- A. What did the Holy Spirit TELL YOU during the teaching Sunday?
- B. What did the Spirit tell you to DO about it?
- C. How can we HELP YOU by our prayers and support?