

## **The Earthly Ministry of Jesus: Signs and Wonders**

**Time:** Thursdays 8:30-9:30

**Teacher:** Mike Samulak

**Class Limit:** No limit

During this nine-week class of the 2024 SSBS fall semester participants will consider together many of the significant miraculous works of Jesus Christ that can be found in the four gospels of the New Testament. Each class will involve an intensive reading, mutual-fellowship, and reflection of the significance related to some of the Lord's healings, casting out of demons, and other miraculous interactions He had with people during the last years of His life. We hope that this class will not only give each the opportunity to read, learn, and consider these miracle moments of Jesus, but also see their significance and importance toward those whom the Lord interacted with specifically, as well as the application for the New Testament believers today.

This class will include both instructor-based as well as student participation for each of the nine sessions. Those who sign up can expect a good mix of mutual interaction with other students as well as instructional-based learning throughout the semester. We will encourage reading of the scripture out-loud together, shared questions, mutual fellowship, open discussion and interactions to help foster inspiration, light, and application for the participants.

### **Outline of Classes:**

Week 1: Overview and Healing the Paralyzed Man (Luke 5:17-26)

Week 2: Healing of the Blind Man (Mark 8:22-26) and 2 Blind Men (Matt. 9:26-31)

Week 3: Healing of the Lame by the Pool of Bethesda (John 5:1-16)

Week 4: Cleansing the Ten Lepers (Luke 17:11-19)

Week 5: Healing the deaf Man (Mark 7:31-37) and Deaf by Demon (Mark 9:14-29)

Week 6: Casting out Demons into the Herd of Pigs (Matt. 8:28-34)

Week 7: Casting out Demons from a man (Luke 4:33-37) and also a child (Mk 7:26-30)

Week 8: Cleansing a leper (Matt 8:1-4) and Raising a boy from the dead (Luke 7:12-17, 18-23)

Week 9: Healing the sick (Matt 8:5-13) and one who was born blind (John chp. 9)

### **Homework:**

Homework for this class will involve reading related scriptures before each of the nine class sessions