

Sermon Outline

October 26 – “Just like the Son of Man”
Matthew 20:17-28

Face set like flint

The hard honest truth

The urgent untimely request of a mother

Seats of authority

The way of the nations

Not so with you!

Just as the Son of Man

Scripture readings for the week

Sunday October 26	I Timothy 6:1-21
Monday October 27	II Timothy 1:1-18
Tuesday October 28	II Timothy 2:1-21
Wed October 29	II Timothy 2:22 – 3:17
Thursday October 30	II Timothy 4:1-22
Friday October 31	Titus 1:1-16
Saturday November 1	Titus 2:1-15
Sunday November 2	Titus 3:1-15

Prayer Focus

Our prayer focus this week is grief. There are all kinds of grief. We miss loved ones who have died. We grieve other losses such as disappointment in relationships, loss of function and abilities, and the death of dreams into disappointment. All grief has its sharp edges and its dull ache. Everyone experiences it differently.

Spend time praying for those you know who are grieving. Stand in the gap and pray for those who find it hard to pray. When you don’t know the right words, “Lord, have mercy,” is sufficient.

Also spend some alone time with the Lord feeling the weight of your own griefs. One by one yield them over to the Lord in honest lament.