

**“Scenes of the Epic Battle”**

Luke 9:37-50

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On Sunday morning, Pastor Mark described 4 battle scenes from this passage. They all relate to us still today.

The battle of ministry

1. What were the disciples missing according to Mark 9:28-29 and Matt 17:20?
2. What motivates you to serve Christ?
3. When we are serving Him, are we caught up in defending Him, or fighting for Him? Are we caught up with the crowd? Are we simply making ourselves available for Him to do whatever He pleases?

Let's give much time to prayer and faith as we serve Christ!

The battle of the Gospel

The disciples were not able to fully understand the extent of what Jesus was saying. The clarity of the gospel is still a point of confusion today.

4. Can you give a good definition of the gospel from John 3:16 and 1 Cor 15:3-4?
5. What does it mean for a person to be converted?
6. How can you KNOW if you are truly born again?

7. Why is there confusion on what the Gospel is still today?

Let's know the Gospel (One Answer) and be ready to help others know it!

### The battle of pride

8. There is not much surprise to this is there? Why would the disciples argue about their placement?
9. How do we see our pride messing things up?

### The battle of isolation

This is not about how to deal with false teaching, so we don't want to get distracted with that here. This is simply how Christians should see other Christians doing God's work.

10. Why were the disciples concerned about what the other guy was doing in Jesus' Name? (Remember, this is all brand new to them!)

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As you pray for one another and for Grace, ask God to do what only He can do as we give ourselves fully to Him for His purposes! Pray for Grace this week as we prepare for Vision Sunday, remember One Service at 10 a.m. Let's also pray for the gospel teaching churches throughout our community and ask for God's favor on them as well.