

MATTHEW

April 3, 2022

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QUESTIONS for REFLECTION

1. What are the blind men expressing by their use of the title “Son of David” (v. 27)? How significant is this?

What is suggested by their plea for mercy?

2. What seems to be Jesus’ reaction to their pleas (v. 28)?

Why might Jesus not give the men His attention until they are in the house?

3. What is Jesus probing for with His question in v. 28? Why is that so important?

Where does this _____ come from? Upon what is it based?

4. What is suggested by, “It shall be done to you according to your faith” (v. 29)?

Is there any particular significance to Jesus touching their eyes?

5. Why the stern warning in v. 30?

6. What is so amazing about the second miracle (vv. 32-33)?

7. What, according to the Pharisees, is the explanation for such miracles (v. 34)? Why this rationale?

What do the Pharisees *not* do or claim?

What is wrong with their rationale?

PERSONAL RESPONSE

I will look to Jesus as the basis for my faith this week by . . .

I will use my voice for Jesus this week by . . .