

- tenants to a wretched end because they killed those who the landowner sent and finally killed his son, and because of the parable the chief priests and Pharisees tried to arrest him because they knew he was talking about them.
- b. Jesus tells the parable of a wedding banquet in which those who had been invited didn't come and were destroyed and others were invited instead. 21:33-22:14
13. The chief priests and teachers of the Law are indignant when they hear children shouting "Hosanna to the Son of David" in the temple area. 21:14-16
  14. The Pharisees, Sadducees and teachers of the Law interrogate and attack Jesus.
    - a. Jesus forgives the sins of the paralytic and then heals him in response to accusations of blasphemy spoken by the teachers of the law. 9:1-7
    - b. After healing blind men according to their faith and driving a demon out of a man who was mute, the Pharisees claim that he drove out the demon by the prince of demons. 9:27-34
    - c. Jesus defends himself in response to accusations by the Pharisees that Jesus drives out demons by Beelzebub. 12:22-30
    - d. Jesus explains that he must go to Jerusalem and be killed by the elders, chief priests and teachers of the law, but he would rise on the third day. 16:21; 17:12,22; 20:17-19; 26:2
  - f. Jesus called people to become his disciples ✓ *JESUS' WORD AS LAW FOR DISCIPLES*
    1. Jesus calls Peter and his brother Andrew as well as James and his brother John to follow him and they do so immediately. 4:18-22
    2. On a mountain Jesus meets with the eleven disciples and commands them to go and make disciples, baptize and teach them to obey his commands. 28:16-20

2. A Structural Outline of the book of Matthew: (Aiming at Summarizing the Author's perspective on Jesus that can be discerned from the major themes noted in section one.)

- INFANCY*
- a. 1: 1-17 The genealogy of Jesus shows that he is the earthly Son of David and Abraham. ✓
  - b. 1:18-23 Jesus is born in Bethlehem fulfilling the words of the prophet Micah and is saved from death by traveling to Egypt. ✓
- Prep.*
- c. 3:1-17 John the Baptist baptizes Jesus to fulfill all righteousness and prepares the way for Jesus by preaching the message of repentance and the coming of the kingdom of God ✓ *(and God declares as His Son)*
  - d. 4:1-7:28: After a period of fasting and temptation, Jesus returns to Galilee to gather disciples and preach repentance and the kingdom of God through a discourse on various ethical issues.
- Son of God  
Savior*