Locate on the map in the back of your study guide. **The Holy Land in the Time of Jesus**

1. Capernaum,
2. Galilee,
3. Judea,
4. Jerusalem,
5. Jordan River
6. Jericho.

**Divorce was not God’s ideal.**

* It was not his plan at creation for man and woman
* When united in marriage the two become one flesh. Genesis 2:24
* Marriage is a sacred and solemn union; divorce is never to be taken lightly.

**What do we know about children?**

* Children are innocent and trusting.
* They do not come with their own agenda.
* They have childlike faith. (not childish)

**Romans 3:20** *Therefore no one will be declared righteous in God’s sight by the works of the law; rather,* ***through the law we become conscious of our sin.***

**Matthew 6:21** *“For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.”*

**Hebrews 12:2** “Let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy set before him endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.”

**Ten things we can learn from this blind beggar.**

* He had heard about Jesus, acted on the information he had.
* He knew Jesus was a man of compassion and mercy.
* He had heard about the amazing miracles Jesus had done.
* He did not allow others to distract him.
* He was bold in his request.
* He was persistent despite obstacles.
* He knew what it was he wanted Jesus to do.
* He had faith and believed that Jesus could and would do for him.
* His life was changed by this encounter with Jesus.
* His destiny and legacy were changed that day.