

## CHILDREN OF THE MOST HIGH

Luke 6:27-42

Key verse: 35

### *Discussion questions*

- What empowers a disciple to live out these teachings?
- What will the world see in Jesus' disciples who live this way?

### *Inductive study questions:*

1. Who are those who are listening? (27a) What does Jesus' command? (27b-30) What is kind of standard does that set for his disciples? How is this contrary to our normal reaction? How can we obey Jesus' command? (1Jn 4:19) How does it go beyond not harming others? (31)
2. Why do we not gain anything from loving those who love us, or who do good to us, or who repay us? (32-34) What do Jesus' disciples receive from loving, doing good, and giving to the ungrateful and wicked? (35) How is God's mercy revealed through us? (36) What does it mean to live a life of being merciful?
3. What is the reason for not judging, not condemning, forgiving and giving? (37-38) What is to be learnt from the parable of the blind leading the blind? (39-40) What can the plank and the speck represent? (41-42) Why do we fail to learn this principle of taking the plank out of our own eye first? What happens when we take the plank out of our eye?