## Luke - Counting the Cost 2/23/20

Jesus hands the disciples a scantron and a #2 pencils and gives them a pop quiz. He says, Who do people say that I am? How would you answer that question? His second question is similar, "Who do you say I am?" How would you answer that question?

Read Luke 9:18-22. What does Jesus tell the disciples about what is going to happen? How do you think they responded to that? Read Mark 8:31-33. Why does Jesus refer to Peter as satan?

Read Luke 9:23-27. What does Jesus say is the mark of being a follower of Jesus?

Do you think that what Jesus is telling them/us is optional? Why or why not?

In verse 23 Jesus ends with the words "follow me." How are we to Follow Jesus in denying ourselves and taking up our cross? Read Philippians 2:1-11

What might "taking up your cross" look like for you? Spend some time praying for God to show you how to live a life of sacrifice.

