

## Jesus the Storyteller

Matt 7:24-27 | Adam Bowers | 1/31/21

- 1. Why did Jesus use parables (stories or analogies that make a point) in his teaching?
- 2. Jesus emphasizes not just learning his teachings but putting them into practice. What are some challenges we face in following this instruction? Why do you think Jesus was concerned that people would learn his teaching but not follow it?
- 3. Jesus uses the analogy of building a house with or without a good foundation. How is following Jesus' teaching like building on a good foundation? How is listening but not following like building without a good foundation?
- 4. What are some foundational teachings of Jesus that your life is built upon?
- 5. Are there any foundational teachings of Jesus that you would like to grow in through better understanding or better following?
- 6. What was your biggest takeaway from this week's message and how will you apply it?