



Round 1 (last week): Sanhedrin challenge Jesus' authority.

Round 2 and 3 will be available online as a bonus sermon.

## Jesus, the Scribe, and the greatest commandment

Politics, pandemics and platforms. (social media)?

1. See the situation
Positive feedback and an honest question from a religious leader!
2. See Jesus' response
• the rabbi's challenge
o Jesus' source material:
Love: Deuteronomy 6:1-9 the "Shema"
Love: Leviticus 19:18
o Jesus' summary
Love God
Love others
Challenges the scribe's location
"you are not far"
The scribe recognizes accurate teaching but does not
3. See Jesus focus on God
o God's Son,, opens God's Kingdom.
o God's greatest commandment is
What do we do with it?
1. Love God - Is all of me all in on loving God?
2. Love others - Jesus' teaching on loving in the worst case scenario (Matthew 5:38-48)
Summary Jesus' greatest commandment is telling us to set love of God and love of neighbor as the
How am I demonstrating that the greatest commandment is my target in the area of