

**Turkey Branch Baptist Church**  
**Matthew 8:1-4**  
***“Christ’s Supremacy Displayed through the Cleansed Leper”***  
**07/25/21**

- I. Context: What is the main theme of Matthew? How does each unit (including this new unit) serve to further this theme?
  
- II. Verse 1: Jesus’ words have staying power and authority.
  
- III. Verse 2a: The plight of leprosy:
  - 1) Physically:
  
  - 2) Spiritually:
  
  - 3) Ceremonially:
  
- IV. Verse 2b: The theology behind the leper’s request:
  - 1) Jesus’ sovereign power:
  
  - 2) Jesus’ sovereign will:
  
- V. Verse 3: The beauty of Jesus’ response.
  
- VI. Verse 4: Go and (don’t?) tell.
  
- VII. Application: the extent of Christ’s supremacy and reign.