The Lord of the Sabbath Matthew 12:1-14

Lesson Aim: To clarify that Jesus is the Lord of the Sabbath and all things.

Key Verse: "I tell you that something greater than the temple is here." -Matthew 12:6

Lesson Concepts:

- 1. It is good to be in Christ when you are accused of doing wrong (vv. 1,2).
- 2. We can use stories from God's Word to silence our critics (vv. 3-5).
- 3. Jesus Christ is the supreme, divine and eternal temple for His people (v. 6)
- 4. When falsely accused, use God's Word as your defense (v. 7).
- 5. As author and ruler of all things, Jesus' actions are always righteous (v.8).