## **Listen & Look unto Jesus!** (Our Lord's Defense of Himself)

<u>Text</u> : John 7:14-24 <u>Main Idea</u> : If we listen & look unto Jesus with righteous judgment we will clearly see that Jesus is the Messiah!	
1.	Listen to His Authority: The of Jesus was directly from God! (v. 16)
2.	Listen to His Confidence: True followers of God who have been born again & desire to obey God will have divine to know that Jesus' teaching is from God. (v. 17)
3.	Look at His Focus: Unlike false teachers, Jesus sought the of God not His own glory. (v. 18)
4.	<i>Listen to His Righteous Judgment</i> : Self-righteousness is overturned by the Mosaic Law which everyone and shows their need for a Savior. (v. 19-20)
5.	<b>Look at His Compassion</b> : The Sabbath miracle of Jesus (5:1-9) reveals His expression of goodness, and divine power.
	Make a judgment about Jesus! (v. 24, 1 Sam 16:7)