

## Sermon Outline

“A New Order – The Blind See”

Matthew 9:27-31

### I. Overview of the section – The New Order (*see* Matt 11:2-6; *cf.* 9:14)

A Question about the new way 9:14-17

B The dead raised 9:18-26

C The blind see 9:27-31

B<sup>1</sup> The deaf hear 9:32-33

A<sup>1</sup> Accusation of an old way 9:34

### II. The second miracle of three (the hinge)

A Two blind men follow Jesus v. 27a

B The men ask Jesus for mercy v. 27b

C Jesus questions the men’s faith v. 28a

D The blind men affirm their faith v. 28b

C<sup>1</sup> Jesus heals the men’s eyes v. 29-30a

B<sup>1</sup> Jesus warns the men to keep quiet v. 30b

A<sup>1</sup> The men go out from Jesus and testify v. 31a

**Response:** Knowledge of the New Order spreads v. 31b

### III. The New Order is inaugurated by the Son of David

The Old Order is passing away – Jesus fulfills God’s covenant promises.

Messiah brings sight to the blind Is 29:18-19; 35:5-6; 42:6-9

*See* Mt 12:22-23

“Son of David” is identified as the Messiah Mt 22:42

“Son of David” brings an everlasting kingdom II Sam 7:12-17

*See* Mt 12:42 (Jesus a greater Solomon)

**Summary:** Sight is brought to the blind Mt 11:5

*See* John 9:39; II Cor 4:4

Further reading: Consider the metaphorical application.

John 9:1-41

Acts 9:1-22