Life of Christ Class
Fall 2011

Luke Project
Due 1/9/2012
Early Turn-In 1/4/2012

This project is very straightforward.
You will be writing a paper on what Jesus taught about the poor, the weak and the marginalized (if you don't know what *marginalized* means, please look it up.). Follow these steps for the most efficient way to complete the project.

1. Read Luke in a couple of big chunks to get "the feel" of the book."
2. Go back through Luke and complete data sheets, like you did for the Matthew-Messiah project. Make sure your data sheets are well done. Write in complete sentences, write neatly. Make note of anything that could possibly make direct or indirect reference to the poor, the weak and the marginalized.
3. Write a paper on how Luke presents Jesus words and actions concerning the poor, the weak and the marginalized. Your paper should conclude with a brief analysis of how your family and your church are doing in joining God in what he is constantly doing among the poor, the weak and the marginalized. If as you reflect, you not aware of any activity with respect to those groups of people, then speculate as to why that might be. This is not about judging, or condemning. It is just about stopping, looking and listening to what God might be saying, and what God might be inviting you to join him in doing.
4. The paper should be more than 3 and less than 4 pages.
5. The paper should follow the guidelines for papers on my website.

DUE: January 9th at the beginning of class. You may submit it electronically using the RENWEB homework drop feature. Don't email. Last time we did that it was a disaster!!!!!!

There is no early bonus this time. However, papers turned in by January 4th will be read and reviewed and returned to you so that you can get an A if you make the changes.