

the *Life* of
CHRIST

*Withdraw to
Tyre and Sidon*

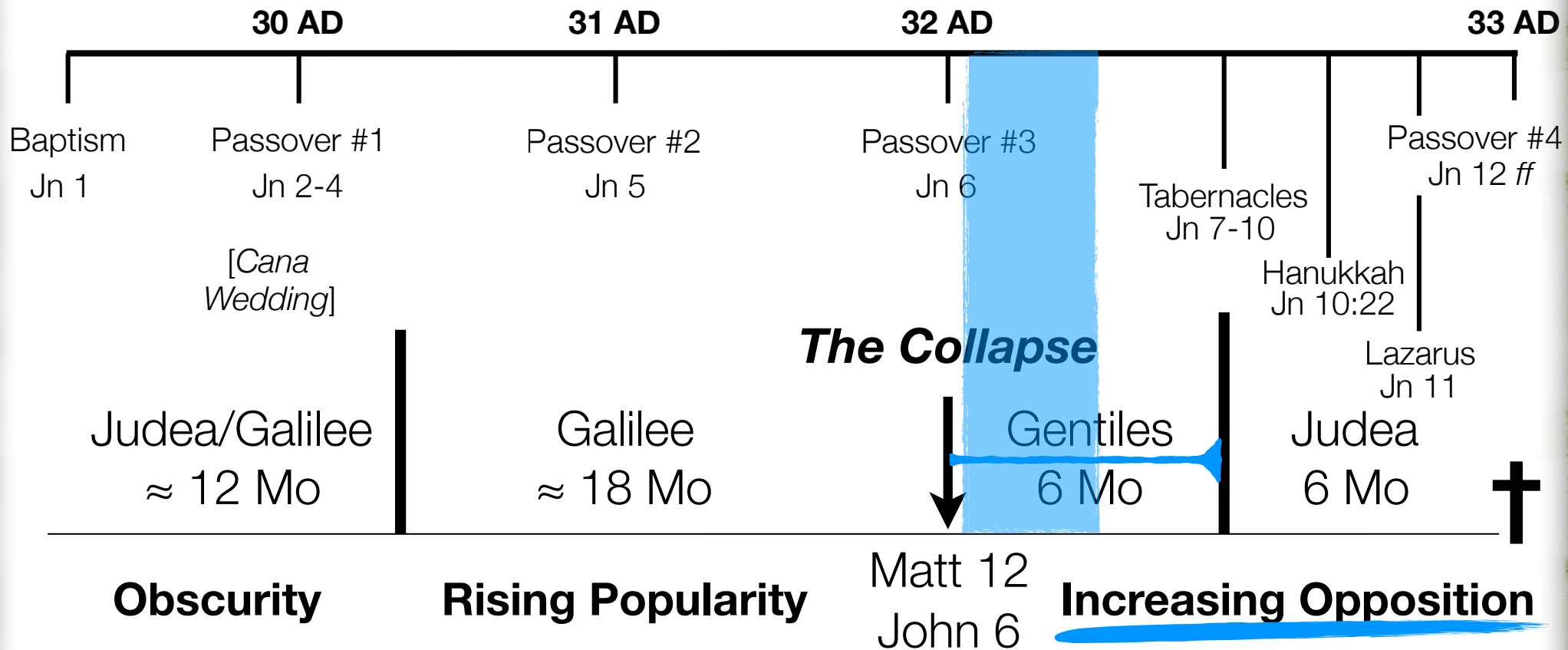


Public Presentation 2 1/2 Years

Private Preparation 1 Year

Speaks of The Kingdom

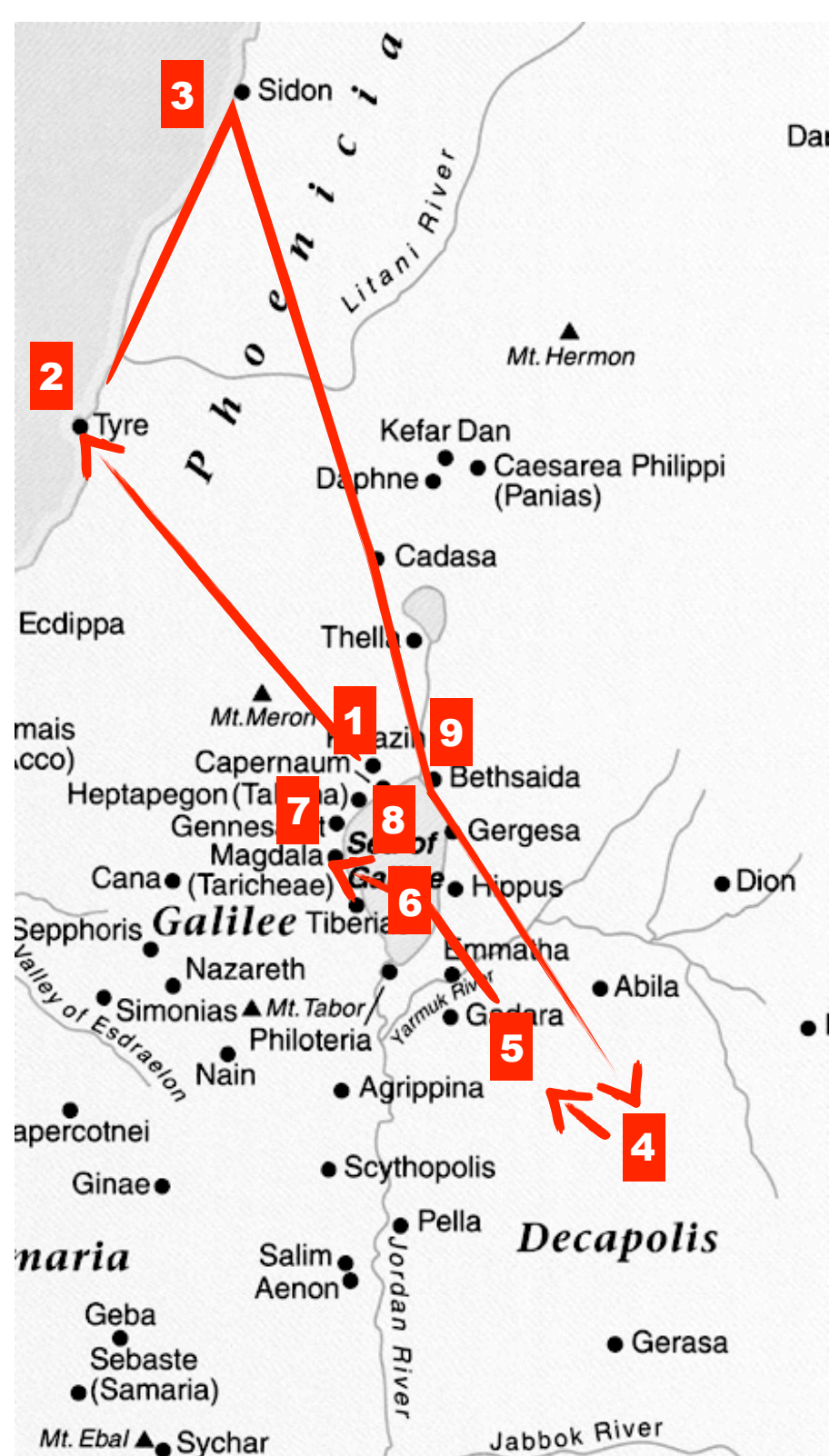
Speaks of His Death



The First Withdraw to Gentiles

Mark 7:1 – 8:26

Matt 15:1 – 16:12



1. Confrontation with Pharisees Mk 7:1-13
Wicked Hypocrisy
Nothing out here is “unclean” 7:14-15
It is the heart that is unclean 7:16-23
2. Confrontation with a Canaanite 7:24-30
Seeking undeserved mercy
3. Goes north to Sidon 7:31
4. Goes south to The Decapolis
Heals a deaf mute man 7:32-37 (*Mk)
5. Feeding of the 4,000 Mk 8:1-9
Another “bread” lesson
6. Crossing over to Magdala (Dalmanutha) 8:10
7. Another Confrontation with Pharisees 8:11-12
Demand for more signs
8. Withdraw and crossing to Bethsaida 8:13-21
“Are your hearts so hard?”
“Beware of the leaven of the Pharisees”
9. A “2-stage healing” of a blind man 8:22-26 (*Mk)

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Matt 15:1—16:12 // Mark 7:1—8:26
Matt 15:1-28 // Mark 7:1-30

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HONESTY ~

Ps 51:2 Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin! *3* For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me.

OPENNESS ~

51:10 Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me *11* Cast me not away from your presence, and take not your Holy Spirit from me

WILLINGNESS ~

51:12 Restore to me the joy of your salvation, and uphold me with a willing spirit. *13* Then I will teach transgressors your ways, and sinners will return to you.

Mat 15:22 And behold, a Canaanite woman from that region came out and was crying, “Have mercy on me, O Lord, Son of David; my daughter is severely oppressed by a demon.”

Mat 15:23 But he did not answer her a word. And his disciples came and begged him, saying, “Send her away, for she is crying out after us.”

Mat 15:24 He answered, “*I was sent only to the lost sheep of the house of Israel.*”

Matt 15:25 But she came and knelt before him, saying,
“Lord, help me!”

Mat 15:28 Then Jesus answered her, “O woman, great is your faith! Be it done for you as you desire.”

And her daughter was healed instantly.



We must be ready to allow ourselves
to be interrupted by God....We must
not.....assume that our schedule is
our own to manage, but allow it to
be arranged by God.

— *Dietrich Bonhoeffer* —

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NO Classes

April 14

April 21

April 28

May 5

