21.08.15 **A Christian is not someone who is…**  Matthew 6.1 Notes

In the Bible is the name  is only used three times.

Acts 11.26, 26.28; 1 Peter 4.16

**How would you someone between what a Christian is and What a Christian is not?**

1. **Being does not make you a Christian.**

Jesus came to do away with …religion as He experienced it… Matthew 23.1 – 7

Jesus pronounced “” on these hypocritical leaders. Matthew 23.23 – 28

In this sense we can define religion as:

The practice of something that  with your  with God and His Son Jesus.

1. **Being religious causes us to focus on the of duties and the praise of men.** Matthew 6.1
2. **Being Religious causes us to focus on the wrong person – .**

Luke 14.10 – 11

1. **Being a Christian is about what and what Jesus is doing?**

What Jesus did: Made a way for your

Being a Christian is first,  what Jesus did.

What Jesus is doing: Jesus is  for you. Hebrews 7.25; Romans 8.33 – 34

Jesus is  for you. 1 John 2.1

This renders Christ not only as King, but also as a  .

CONCLUSION