**“A Healing of Love”**

**Mark 8:22-26**

1. Share your thoughts on Pastor Cliff’s message?

2. Is there any weakness or struggles in your life that seems to be always there, no matter how many times you have tried to “get rid of it”?

3. Message outline:

**A. Jesus understands your weakness and situation, and is always willing to use the most needed and suitable ways to help you.**

a. Do you think the blind man was hoping to be healed by Jesus? Did he have faith in Jesus that Jesus was willing to and was able to heal him?

b. Why do you think Jesus needed to perform so many steps to heal the blind man (we know that Jesus is able to heal with one simple command)? What was Jesus trying to do?

c. If you have doubt about whether Jesus really understands your weakness and situation, how would this message help you to build up faith in Jesus?

**B. Despite our failures, Jesus is always patience with us, and is always willing to be with us and help us to the end.**

a. Do you think Jesus was disappointed when he saw that the blind man was not healed at once?

b. Why Jesus had to perform the second step (vs 25: Then Jesus laid his hands on his eyes again…)? Is it true that Jesus was not able to heal the blind man at once?

c. Have you ever had the feeling that God has not listened to you or have even left you? If you have, in what ways has this message assured you that it would never be the case?

**C. Jesus helps us, because “He Loves us!”**

a. Why do you think Jesus ordered the blind man not to enter the village?

b. What was Jesus’s motive for healing the blind man?

4. Pray for one another.