Hebrews 2:18, 4:15
Christ Tempted Yet Without Sin

Outline

1. Two sides of temptation

- Solicitation to do evil (Gen. 3:1-5)
- Desire to do evil (Gen. 3:6, 1 Jn. 2:16)

2. The temptation of Christ (Mt. 4:1-10)

- Led by the Spirit? (v. 1)
- Fasted for 40 days (v. 2)

Satan's strategy

- Questioning Jesus' Sonship (v. 3, 6)
- Misapplied Scripture (v. 3-4)
- False promises (v. 9)

Satan's solicitation

- Stones to bread (v. 3-4)
- Throw Yourself down (v. 5-7)
- Worship me (v. 8-10)

Jesus tempted in all things

- Our temptation is limited (1 Cor. 10:13)

3. Jesus' Impeccability

- No sin nature (1 John 3:5)
- No desire to sin nature (John 8:29)
- Immutably holy (Heb. 7:26)
- Cannot be tempted (Jam. 1:13)

What about these verses:

- In the likeness of sinful flesh? (Rom. 8:30)
- Made to be sin on our behalf? (2 Cor. 5:21)

Notes