

Luke 2:40-52 – Jesus – the wisdom we need

Where do you turn for info/ answers / wisdom?

1. Jesus' Boyhood - v26-38

Mary & Joseph – righteous parents

V40& 52 – Jesus grew physically, spiritually

The lost child - a horribly stressful experience

But Jesus was without sin (1 Pet 2.22)

Jesus was obedient to his parents

Are you obeying/ honouring your parents?

Jesus' relationship with his heavenly Father – first!

What this looks like for teens today?

2. Jesus' Wisdom

V40, (Prov 9.10), v47, 49

Jesus priorities his Father, Fathers' priorities
and God's word – Jn 1.12; 17.3

V52 – increasing in wisdom

All the treasures of wisdom are in Him

Col 2.3; 1 Cor 1.24,30

So we too need to read and know/ obey the word
(2 Tim 2.15)

3. Seek Christ

Jesus' parents *seek after* him (v44,45, 48,49)

We need to seek Jesus - the greatest treasure

Follow the creator's instructions

Ps 19 (Lk 2.51; Matt 28.20; Jn 17.8)

Seek wisdom in God's word even when it's

complicated – eg honouring non-Christian parents

Who's influencing you?