The Giver of Life

Matthew 9:18-26 (series #56)

Introduction: sinfulness pictured as costly sickness - Isaiah 1:2-6; 53:4-5

- I. The Request from the Ruler vv. 18-19
 - A. He was Jairus, ruler of the synagogue
 - B. The parallel with Lazarus and John 11:6
- II. The Miracle within a Miracle vv. 20-22
 - A. The woman with a 12 year flow of blood
 - B. She was ceremonially unclean
 - C. She touched one of Jesus' tasselsNumber 15:38; Deuteronomy 22:12
 - D. She was healed and saved
- III. The Raising of Jairus' Daughter vv. 23-26
 - A. The professional mourners were present
 - B. Jesus said she was "sleeping"- John 11:11-14
 - C. The crowd laughed and ridiculed Him
 - D. Jesus raised her from the dead
 - E. The news spread throughout the land

Conclusion: Jesus is the giver of life - Jn. 10:10