



BEREAN
SMALL GROUPS

FOR THE GOSPEL
ROMANS 1:16

Jesus and the Beginning of the Gospel

Mark 1:1

Answer the following questions together. Use the sermon or a Study Bible.

- ? What genre are the Gospels?
- ? Who wrote the Gospel of Mark?
- ? To whom was the Gospel of Mark written?
- ? How is the Gospel of Mark different from the other Gospels?

Read Mark 1:1 below and answer the questions.

"The beginning of the gospel of Jesus Christ, the Son of God."

- ? Why do you think it is significant that the book of Mark begins with the same words as the book of Genesis?
- ? How does your life show that the gospel is good news?
- ? What does the name "Christ" mean? Look it up if you need to. Why is it significant that Jesus is "the Christ"?
- ? If the coming of Jesus Christ is good news, what is the bad news?
- ? How do you see God's goodness and grace at work in your own life?

Application:

- ? Are you living in a way that the gospel impacts your everyday life?
- ? What habits or desires in your life are evidence that you are missing the fullness of the gospel?
- ? Who in your life needs to hear or be encouraged by the good news of the gospel?