



These questions are provided for your further study and application of the message. Thoughtfully writing out the answers to these questions will help to drive home the point. It is also helpful to discuss your answers with others.

## **Discussion Questions**

Date: February 11, 2018

### **Mark 1:14-15**

1. On Sunday, pastor Craig talked about six-word memoirs. What could be a six-word memoir for your past? How might you want your six-word memoir to change in the future?
2. Mark tells us that John the Baptist had been imprisoned before Jesus's ministry began. What does this teach us about the relationship between John's ministry and Jesus' ministry?
3. Jesus announced, "The time is fulfilled." What time was Jesus talking about? How was the "time fulfilled" in your own life when you gave your life to Jesus?
4. When Jesus told his listeners that the Kingdom of God was at hand, they had a renewed hope in life. How has the gospel given you hope? How can you share that hope with others?
5. Jesus' message was repent and believe. What is repentance and why is real belief not possible without repentance?
6. Jesus urged his listeners to believe in **the gospel**. How have you been tempted to trust in things other than the gospel for your security and salvation?
7. Family verse: Read and memorize Mark 1:15. Discuss why it is important for Christians to continue to hear and apply the simple gospel message of repent and believe even after they have been saved.