Notes

The Patient Persistence of Evangelism

Mark 4:26-29 June 10, 2018

Sermon Series: Mark: Discipleship in the Real World

The Big Question: Are you sharing the gospel?	

1. Commit to the Kingdom.

2. Share the gospel anyway.

3. Trust the Lord always.

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: June 17, 2018

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1. Waiting is the hardest part of growing anything. The work of planting is invigorating, but then there is a period of time where the only thing you can see is dirt. What gives you hope to wait for a harvest after you have planted something?

2. Pastor Craig often defines the Kingdom of God as the people of God in the place of God under the rule and blessing of God. When will God's Kingdom be fully realized? How do we invite people into that Kingdom now?

3. Read Mark 4:26-29. Several roles and responsibilities are described in this passage. What responsibilities are given to the evangelist? What responsibilities belong to God?

4. Read 1 Corinthians 3:5-9. How did Paul and Apollos play different roles among the Corinthians? How have others played various roles within your own life?

5. Read Matthew 9:35-38. What does this passage teach us about the harvest and about prayer?

6. Evangelism is both an action and a lifestyle. Before we become passionate about evangelism, we must be broken over the plight of non-Christians. How can you change your prayer life to become more evangelistic?

7. Family verse: Read and memorize Matthew 9:37-38. Discuss why it is important that the gospel be made known to the world.