

THE WAY OF JESUS

Mark 1:1-8

MAIN IDEAS FROM THIS WEEK

1. WHO THIS KING IS
2. WHERE THIS KING CAN BE FOUND
3. WHY THIS KING CAN BE TRUSTED

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS – Pick one or two of these to talk about as a group

1. What stood out to you most from this week's message? Why?
2. This week we started a new series called "The Way of Jesus". The goal of this series is to look through Mark's gospel account to see Jesus as He really is instead of just seeing Him how we'd like Him to be. When was the last time that something about Jesus or something He said challenged or confronted you in a way that made you uncomfortable?
3. Right out of the gate, Mark makes it clear that Jesus is God in the flesh. This is what Christians call the Doctrine of the Incarnation. What do you find hard to understand/ believe about the claim that Jesus is God come down to earth? What do you find encouraging about this doctrine?
4. Finding Jesus in the wilderness is a clear theme in the first chapter of Mark. In fact, this theme of God meeting people in the wilderness can be seen all through the Bible and all through church history. Are you in a "wilderness" right now? What is it like? Has God ever met you in the wilderness? What was that like?
5. What about your life would make someone think that Jesus is your king?
6. What are some areas of your life where you have NOT treated Jesus as if He were your king?

A TRUTH TO TAKE WITH YOU: Jesus is unlike any other king. Jesus is the king who prepared the way for you by giving His life for you.