

Displaying the Kingdom

Text: Mark 3:7-12

Context -

After healing a man on the Sabbath, Jesus presses out into a massive open ministry of healing and preaching.

Main Idea - Jesus displayed the Kingdom of God everywhere he went. Christians display the Kingdom in our world today.

Displaying the Kingdom of God will lead you to...

1. _____ the sick (vs. 7-10)

A. Everywhere Jesus went, he healed the sick as a display of the coming Kingdom - a place without any sickness. (Revelation 21:4)

B. Everywhere the people of Jesus go - they seek the healing of others. Through prayer, encouragement and the establishment of hospitals.

2. _____ the possessed (vs. 11a)

A. Jesus was always helping those trapped in darkness and possessed by demons, displaying a coming Kingdom where there will be no more evil. (Revelation 21:27; 22:1-5)

B. Everywhere the followers of Jesus go, they seek to free those in bondage to sin and darkness.

3. _____ the Son (vs. 11b-12)

A. Honor Him in W_____ - While the demons of the possessed recognize His identity, God wants the praise of His Son to come from people from every tribe, tongue, and nation.

B. Honor Him in W_____ - Before the cross, Jesus commanded not to make him known. After the resurrection, Jesus commands that we make him known in all nations.