

Mark Chapter One

Keys to This Chapter

Key Passage: Verses 14-15

“Now after John was put in prison, Jesus came to Galilee, preaching the gospel of the kingdom of God, 15 and saying, ‘The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand. Repent, and believe in the gospel.’”

Key People

Jesus Christ
John (the Baptist)
Simon
Andrew
James
Zebedee
John
The scribes

Key Places

Judea
Jerusalem
Jordan River
Nazareth of Galilee
Sea of Galilee
Capernaum
Galilee

Key Words

Repentance
Remission
Baptized
Gospel
Sabbath
Synagogue
Astonished
Amazed
Authority
Leper

Key Lesson

Questions on the Text

1. According to verses three and four:
 - a. What was the purpose of John’s preaching?
 - b. Where did he preach?
 - c. What did he preach?
2. Who came to hear John’s preaching? Upon hearing his preaching, what did they do? (v. 5)
3. How is John described in verse six? How does he describe to one who would come after him? (vv. 7-8)
4. According to verse nine, who came to be baptized of John? What happened as He was “coming up from the water?”
5. How did Jesus get to the wilderness? What happened to Him while there?
6. After John was imprisoned, what did Jesus do? (vv. 14-15)
7. What was the occupation of Simon and Andrew? What did Jesus call them to be? Who else followed Jesus? (vv. 16-20)
8. What did Jesus do when He went to Capernaum? What was the reaction of the reaction of the people? Why did they react that way? (vv. 21-22)
9. With what was a man who was in the synagogue of Capernaum possessed? What did Jesus do for him? What was the reaction to His act?
10. Where did Jesus go after He left the synagogue? Who did He find there? What was her problem? What did Jesus do for her?
11. Why, according to verse 34, did Jesus not allow the demons to speak?
12. Upon leaving Capernaum, where did Jesus go? Why did He go there? Where did He next plan on going? What was His purpose in going?
13. Who, in verse 40, came to Jesus? What showed his faith in Jesus? What did Jesus do for him?
14. What did Jesus warn the man in the above question not to do? What did He tell him to do?
15. According to verse 45, what did the man do? What was the result of his actions?

Matching

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| _____ 1. John | A. Tempted Jesus in the wilderness. |
| _____ 2. The Spirit | B. Ministered to Jesus in the wilderness. |
| _____ 3. Angels | C. Searched for Jesus. |
| _____ 4. Satan | D. Preached in the wilderness. |
| _____ 5. Simon | E. Drove Jesus to the wilderness. |

Discussion Question

Why do you think the cleansed leper was told, “See that you say nothing to anyone” about his cleansing except the priest?