

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

The following questions help us dialog with the sermon, music, and liturgy in this morning's worship service. Together, these elements provide space for reflection and prayer during personal devotions, group studies, and family worship.

1. What do you pray for most? In what way is the Kingdom of God the answer to all our prayers?
2. How has the Kingdom of God already come? How is the Kingdom of God not yet fulfilled?
3. Why does the future promise of the Kingdom of God encourage us to seek the Kingdom of God today?
4. What earthly kingdoms do you bow down to? What are some ways that you need the Kingdom of God to rule your heart?
5. Do you pray for the return of Jesus Christ? Why or why not?
6. The Gospel of Matthew tells us that Jesus preached "the Gospel of the Kingdom." What makes the Kingdom of God good news?

Prayer Prompts:

*Use the following prompts to guide you in prayer this week: Matthew 6.9-13
"Your Kingdom come"*

1. Ask God to quiet your fears and assure you of His love using the words of Luke 12.32, "Fear not, little flock, for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the Kingdom."
2. Praise God using the words of Jesus from Mark 1.15, "The time is fulfilled, and the Kingdom of God is at hand."
3. Ask God to act in power to defeat the works of the devil in your life.
4. Pray to God that His transforming presence would reign in our city.
5. Pray for God to strengthen and extend His Kingdom throughout our world.