

# The Coming of the Kingdom

*“The kingdom of God is in the midst of you”*

## Sermon Questions

1. How would you rate your understanding of the kingdom of God? (0 – not at all, 10 – very well)

0    1    2    3    4    5    6    7    8    9    10

2. The Pharisees question has two assumptions:

- i. The kingdom is not \_\_\_\_\_.
- ii. The kingdom will come with great signs in the heavens.

3. When Jesus says the kingdom is in their midst, he means that they should be able to see it. (Yes/No)

4. The kingdom of God is God’s saving program where he reverses the \_\_\_\_\_ and establishes his \_\_\_\_\_ on the earth through his King, Jesus Christ.

5. John 18:26 and Romans 14:17 teach us that God’s kingdom is spiritual and of has no bearing on the kingdoms of this world. (Yes/No)

6. Is the kingdom present or future or both? (Present/Future/Both)

7. Where do we see the kingdom of God today?

- i. In a home ordered around the word of God.
- ii. In a business that operates as if Jesus is King.
- iii. In the church where the saints gather and the gospel is preached.
- iv. In a nation where the laws of Christ are the laws governing the people.

8. The kingdom advances by the Spirit of God changing one heart at a time through the \_\_\_\_\_.

9. Why is understanding the kingdom so important?

- i. It gives an accurate \_\_\_\_\_ of Jesus (so we don’t miss him).
- ii. It presents a big picture of \_\_\_\_\_ (so we understand our place in it).
- iii. It defines \_\_\_\_\_ for Jesus (so we live sanctified under his law).
- iv. It grants \_\_\_\_\_ for the future (so we always have joy).

## Discussion/Meditation Questions

1. How would you define and describe the kingdom of God to someone who is new to the Christian faith? Why is this such an important subject in Scripture?
2. In what ways is the kingdom of God visible today? How does the kingdom of God relate to the kingdoms of men (including our own nation)?
3. Of the four points made about the importance of the kingdom, which one do you believe is most important and why?
4. What was your most significant take-away from this passage and sermon? Share this with another brother or sister in the fellowship.

## Extras for the Children

What song did you enjoy the most today? \_\_\_\_\_

What did you learn about God today? \_\_\_\_\_

What words did you not know today? \_\_\_\_\_

