

## **GROUP QUESTIONS**

March 30<sup>th</sup> - April 5<sup>th</sup> Mark 1:1 - 1:34

Watch The Bible Project video titled "Mark Introduction": rdf.org/bible

- 1. After watching the introduction to Mark, what do you think is Mark's main purpose for writing his gospel?
- 2. In what ways did Jesus's understanding of the Messiah differ from everyone else's?
- 3. How does the first verse in Mark's gospel set the tone for the rest of the book? Mark 1:1
- 4. In what ways might baptism with the Holy Spirit be different than baptism with water? Mark 1:8
- 5. Mark's version of events are often shorter than those of other gospels. Why do you think this is?

  Compare Mark 1:12-13 to Matthew 4:1-11
- 6. Why would Jesus prevent the demons from telling everyone who Jesus was? Mark 1:34