

Thy Kingdom Come: It Starts with Me!

Reflect

1. What do you think of when you hear the word Kingdom?
2. What does the Lord's prayer mean to you?
3. What do you think of when you pray, "Thy Kingdom Come"?

Read Your Bible

- 1 Corinthians 3:11
- Matthew 6:5-15

Apply God's Word to Your Life

1. What spoke to you in our texts today?
2. Tell of a time when the Lord's prayer was important to you in your life?
3. What does it look like when God's Kingdom comes to earth?
4. How specifically are you a part of bringing God's Kingdom to earth?
5. How is God's Kingdom not just a place, but a reality?
6. How does God's Kingdom come to us in Jesus Christ?
7. What does it mean for us to be "kingdom" people?
8. Is God the one who rules and reigns in your life? What does that look like?

Conclusion

Jesus taught us to pray, "Thy Kingdom Come." What does that mean? God's Kingdom is not just someplace we are going, it is a place that has come to us. God Kingdom exists whenever Jesus rules and reigns in our lives. Simply put, God's Kingdom comes when we love and live like Jesus. In this series, we will explore the biblical theme "Kingdom of God" and think about what it means for us together to be Kingdom people. There is a battle going on. We live in a deeply broken world that wants to constantly conform us into sinful patterns. How do we surrender our lives to the rule and reign of Christ and become the people together God has made us and called us to be?

Pray

Father, You are our King! Tear down the false kingdoms that I have built in my life and the illusions of power and sinful control. May You rule and reign in our lives completely. Bring Your peace, love, and redemptive power in Jesus Christ to the world through us. May we be Your hands and feet in this world. For Yours is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever! In Jesus' name! Amen.