Parable of the Tenants [Taxes to Caesar]

Scripture

Read: Mark 12:1-12 [13-17]

Observation

What did you notice? (a word, a phrase, a name, etc.) What questions do you have?

> What does this Scripture say: about you? about God? about the world?

Application

What do you think this means for you? What is this Scripture leading you to do?

Prayer

Son of God, you spoke words to Jerusalem's leaders that were hard to hear. Give us ears to receive your word of life so that we can follow you faithfully. Amen.

*Please ensure that your small group space is clean



Scripture Commentary

This passage of Scripture is directed towards the Pharisees, who were the religious leaders of Jesus' day. Outwardly they were holiest people around, but inwardly they were far from God. In this parable, Jesus exposes the evil intent of their hearts to kill Jesus, which they did when they put Him on a Cross.

Additional Verses

Matthew 16:21

John 11:25

Romans 8:38-39

1 Peter 3:18