

## Sermon Discussion Guide - November 16, 2025 Thy Kingdom Come, Three Assumptions Part 1

The sermon series "Thy Kingdom Come" explores the fundamental laws of living in the Kingdom of God.

- 1. If you had to choose 3 "practices of righteousness" of Christianity that were essential, which ones would you choose and why?
- 2. Read Matthew 6:1,2,5 and 16
  - What "practices of righteousness" does Jesus mention (followed by the words 'when you')?
  - Why do you think He chose to focus on those three and not any others?
- 3. We will be focusing on prayer today.
  - What does your prayer life look like? How does your prayer life impact your life?
  - What comes easy to you with prayer? What is difficult for you?

## 4. Testimonies

- o Ask a couple of people in your group to describe when God answered a prayer.
- Ask if anyone in your group has been praying for something that God hasn't answered. How do we respond to unanswered prayers?
- 5. Pastor Mark said "Some of the hopeless issues you are facing are only hopeless because you are fighting in your own power."
  - Are you facing anything that feels hopeless right now? How can you depend more on God's power?
- 6. "Until His sovereign will becomes your sanctified wish, your prayer life will be unplugged from its power supply." Mark Batterson, Draw the Circle
  - o How can we change His will into our wish?
- 7. How can your group pray for and support you in light of today's discussion? Discuss how your group can participate in the 40 Days of Prayer together in January.