

# SMALL GROUP GUIDE

## 'KINGDOM' SERIES GOALS

>> Paint a vision of just how good the gospel is - because it is about the King, His kingdom, and our participation within that kingdom through discipleship.

>> You will be captured/re-captured by this vision, and compelled to wholeheartedly follow Jesus.

>> Equip each of us as we disciple others.

IN CASE YOU MISSED IT

Check out Scott's message from Sunday 28 February, **the second sermon in our 'Kingdom' series**. It is available on our <u>website and YouTube</u> <u>channel.</u>



## LIVING IT OUT

Fortnight starting Sunday 28 February <u>CONNECT</u>: Welcome and celebrate together

<u>PRACTICE</u>: 'SEE' reflective activity [PDF] [MP3]

### <u>READ</u>: Genesis 3:1–5 and 3:14–15

[Humans shatter the Kingdom of God by rebelling. They reject the rule of God and decide to rule themselves (this is what we call sin). Sin is choosing self rule over God's rule and the ever worsening consequences of sin, but underneath all of what is happening is God's unfailing love and grace. Without sin there is no need for repentance and without repentance we can't experience God's Kingdom (Mark 1: 14-15)]

### <u>DISCUSS</u>:

- 1. <u>How</u> is your understanding of the gospel expanding in the 'Kingdom' series?
- 2. What part of your life is God inviting / challenging you to put Jesus as King? (*Put another way:* Which area of your life is yet to yield to Jesus' rule?)
- 3. How are you participating / cooperating with God in expanding His kingdom, in your home/family, school/workplace, community neighbourhood?

[These questions will be repeated over the series. The idea is that you work through each question over a longer period of time, together. Some people will need more time to prayerfully identify where God's invitation / challenge is, and some will need more time to start stepping into His invitation / challenge.]

## <u>PRAY</u>

#### More Discipleship Resources

For more reading and reflection, go to: grlc.org.au/discipleship-resources/



