## The Kingdom of God 2 – Discussion Questions

- 1. In Mark 4:26-9, Jesus tells a parable about seeds that sprout and grow without any help from the farmer. The seeds have life and power in themselves. What does the seed stand for? What does the parable mean?
- 2. What are mustard seeds like?
- 3. In Matthew 13:31-2, what happens to the tiny mustard seed?
- 4. How is the kingdom of God like a mustard seed?
- 5. In the parable of the wheat and the weeds, what kind of seed did the farmer plant? See Matthew 13:24.
- 6. What happened while people were sleeping?
- 7. Once the weeds started growing, what did the farmer say they needed to do? See Matthew 13:29-30a.
- 8. What would happen to the weeds at the harvest? What would happen to the wheat? See Matthew 13:30b.
- 9. Who is the farmer in this parable? See Matthew 13:37.
- 10. What is the field? What is the good seed? What are the weeds? Who is the enemy?
- 11. What is the harvest? What will happen at the harvest? See Matthew 13:39-43.
- 12. If you're in the kingdom of darkness, how can you get into the kingdom of light?