

"The Preaching Ministry of Jesus" Mark 1:14-15 • Pastor Jim Lennon

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Introduction - While living on earth Jesus engaged in two great ministries described in the Gospels –healing and preaching. Today we'll look at Jesus' preaching ministry.

I. The Gospel of God.

- A. Jesus came preaching "The Gospel of God."
- B. The word "Gospel" (euangellion) means "Good News," or, "The news that brings joy."
- C. The Gospel is not advice, it's news, or a proclamation of something that has happened.
- D. The Gospel sets Christianity apart from all other religions.

II. The Kingdom of God.

A. Jesus announces that the Kingdom of God is near. What does that mean?

B. Your true king is here!

III. Respond to the True King.

- A. Repent. (metanoia) "To change your mind."
 - 1. Jesus IS NOT saying –
 - 2. Jesus IS saying -

B. Believe the Gospel - Jesus.

Conclusion