



Week 7

Text: Mark 4:26-31, Revelation 21:1-5

Topic: Kingdom, New Heaven, New Earth

Main Idea: The "Already/Not yet" feature of the kingdom of God is a truth that can shape not only our future but direct us in the present.

Discussion Questions:

1. What is one thing that stood out to you from this week's message?
2. Do you get excited about heaven? Why or why not?
3. The parables of Jesus speak about the kingdom of God coming in progress which leaves it in an "already/not yet" state. How do you hold these two truths together?
4. Revelation 21 gives us a small glimpse to the fullness of the kingdom: a renewed creation, a redeemed people and a reigning king. How do these features provide you with hope for tomorrow?
5. We must learn to walk daily in the tension of the "already/not yet" state of the kingdom. How do you balance expecting victory now and yet know there will be struggles?