

Community Group Discussion Guide

Crucify Him – Mark 15:1-16
November 12, 2017



Sermon Summary

Today, as we encounter Mark 15:1-15, we will see Jesus receive the sentence of crucifixion at the demand of the crowd and at the authorization of Pilate. As we enter into Mark 15, the sorrow of Christ's sufferings begin to overwhelm. Today we will discover three truths about Jesus' suffering. At the hour of his crucifixion, we continue to learn about the significance and purpose of his death.

Discussion Questions

- What was the most impactful point from the message today?
- Why was Jesus silent and display no resistance before Pilate? In what way does Jesus fulfill the Scriptures? How does his silence indicate his love for us?
- Why did Jesus have to die in our place? Why is Jesus' substitutionary death essential to the Gospel?
- How are you like Brabbas?
- Why did Israel have such a history of killing their prophets? How does our sin cause us to join in the crowds cry of "Crucify Him"?
- Why did Jesus have to suffer? How can you share the good news of what Christ has done with someone this week?

Announcements and Reminders

- Remember this is the last community group for the Fall! Next Sunday, we will have our Thanksgiving Praise Service. We will resume community groups January 7th.