

12/19/2021 "The Grinch"

- 1. What stood out to you from Sunday's message? Why?
- 2. Why is this message important?
- 3. Read Matthew 2:1-12. What hopes and dreams do the magi have for their journey? What are they looking for?
- 4. How is Jesus described in these verses? Why is this significant to the story?
- 5. What is the number one thing Jesus talks about? (See Matthew 4:17, 23)

For additional details on this concept see, https://bibleproject.com/explore/video/gospel-kingdom.

- 6. How many times does the word "Kingdom" appear in Matthew? Why is this important?
- 7. Pastor John stated, that "the kingdom is not a place, it is an action." What do you think is meant by that statement?
- 8. Read Mark 10:42-45. What differences does this passage describe between the Kingdom of the Gentiles and the Kingdom of God?
- 9. In what ways did Jesus serve this world?
- 10. What does it look like to live within Jesus' kingdom today?
- 11. How does serving other people help bring about God's dreams for the world?
- 12. What do you think God wants to do in your community in 2022?
- 13. How can you actively serve others to bring about God's dream for your community?