



Date: November 2, 2025
Speaker: Pastor Brandon Turk
Title: Contrasting Kingdoms
Scripture: Matt 13:24-30, 36-43

1. Their Citizens
2. Their Proximity
3. Their Reward

Key Scriptures:

Matthew 13:37-39, 1 John 3:1-10, Matthew 13:24-30, John 17:14-20, Ephesians 2:1-5,
2 Corinthians 5:17-20, 2 Peter 3:8-9, Matthew 13:40-43, Galatians 6:7-8,
2 Peter 3:8-10, Matthew 24:27, John 20:31

Discussion Guide: (for use individually, as a family, or in a group)

Begin with prayer and read Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43. Discuss any insights or observations you had from this week's message or from the scripture passages shared. Did anything stand out to you?

- **Read 1 John 3:1-10.** What does this passage reveal about the children who belong to two different kingdoms? How is one considered a child of either? How can we see this in our own culture or in the world today?
- **Read John 17:14-20.** What does Jesus say about His followers as He prays this passage to the Father? Why does He leave the believers with the world (the wheat and the tares)? Do you feel like you are living as though you are sent or as though you want to stay away from the world?
- **Read 2 Peter 3:8-10.** Why is God not swift to carry out His justice? Why should believing the gospel be considered an urgent matter? What will be the reward for the children of each kingdom?

Discuss any further insights together and close in prayer.