

SUNDAY, MARCH 20, 2022

MORNING MESSAGE

“Bringing Friends to Jesus”

Mark 2:1-12

- I. THE PREPARATION (vv.1-2)
 - A. The presence (v.1)
 - B. The people (v.2a)
 - C. The preaching (v.2b)
 - 1. Matthew 9:35, “And Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, and preaching the gospel of the kingdom
 - 2. Mark 1:15, “The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand: repent ye, and believe the gospel”
 - D. The power (Luke 5:17)
 - 1. “and the power of the Lord was present to heal them”
- II. THE PERSISTENCE (vv.3-4)
 - A. The difficulty (v.3)
 - B. The discouragement (v.4a)
 - C. The danger (v.4b)
- III. THE PREACHING (vv.5-12)
 - A. The pardoning (v.5)
 - B. The perception (vv.6-11)
 - C. The praise (v.12)