

# Take Home

September 12, 2021

**TODAY'S SCRIPTURE:** ISAIAH 52:7-10, MARK 1:15

7 How beautiful on the mountains  
are the feet of those who bring good news,  
who proclaim peace,  
who bring good tidings,  
who proclaim salvation,  
who say to Zion,  
“Your God reigns!”

8 Listen! Your watchmen lift up their voices;  
together they shout for joy.  
When the Lord returns to Zion,  
they will see it with their own eyes.

9 Burst into songs of joy together,  
you ruins of Jerusalem,  
for the Lord has comforted his people,  
he has redeemed Jerusalem.

10 The Lord will lay bare his holy arm  
in the sight of all the nations,  
and all the ends of the earth will see  
the salvation of our God. (Isaiah 52:7-10)

“The time has come,” [Jesus] said. “The kingdom of God has come near. Repent and believe the good news!” (Mark 1:15)

## QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION and DISCUSSION

1. What role has the Kingdom of God played in your conception of Jesus and the Christian life?
2. Why do you think the Kingdom of God is neglected by parts of the American church?
3. Why is it important to relate to Jesus as King?
4. How is the Holy Spirit guiding you to let Jesus reign in more and more of your life?