## LIGHT IN THE DARKNESS



Theme: Experiencing God

**Word:** Matthew 4:12-17

<sup>12</sup> When Jesus heard that John had been put in prison, he withdrew to Galilee. <sup>13</sup> Leaving Nazareth, he went and lived in Capernaum, which was by the lake in the area of Zebulun and Naphtali— <sup>14</sup> to fulfill what was said through the prophet Isaiah: <sup>15</sup> "Land of Zebulun and land of Naphtali the Way of the Sea, beyond the Jordan, Galilee of the Gentiles— <sup>16</sup> the people living in darkness have seen a great light; on those living in the land of the shadow of death a light has dawned." <sup>17</sup> From that time on Jesus began to preach, "Repent, for the kingdom of heaven has come near."

## Discussion:

- 1. Share of how you allowed the word of God to be your path in the past week or month.
- 2. In light of the gospel, how have you shone the light of Jesus to others recently?
- 3. In light of how Jesus strategically planned to share the gospel with the gentiles, have you thought of a strategic plan of sharing the gospel to those around you who are still living in darkness? (Look at it how Jesus done it, it was orchestrated by God pray and seek guidance from God.) Think about where God has placed you, the people around your and the culture around you.

## Prayer Points:

1. Pray for God to give you an opportunity this week to shine His light to someone living in darkness.