

# THE GOSPEL

## ACCORDING TO ST. LUKE

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Jesus on Mission | Luke 8:1-3

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### S U M M A R Y

This past weekend we looked at what Jesus was teaching when he proclaimed the 'Good news of the kingdom of God', and how each one of us is invited to join him in mission.

### R E A D

Luke 8:1-3

*Pause. Take time to prayerfully consider what has been read,*

### D I S C U S S

- 1) What do you understand the 'good news of the kingdom of God' to be about? How would you describe it to someone?
- 2) What metaphors or images outlined in the sermon do you find most inspiring about what the in-breaking of the kingdom of God looks like? Why?
- 3) What does it mean to you that the kingdom of God is not just what Jesus proclaims, it's who he is? What does it mean for Jesus to bear in his own person the full reality of the kingdom of God?
- 4) What is the significance of Luke naming women as participants and contributors that are with Jesus in his mission?

### R E S P O N D

Consider what your participation in the kingdom of God would be like if there were no obstacles to your full involvement.

What, if anything, feels like it is holding you back?

*Share how the Spirit is inviting you to respond today and the week to come – to **be with** Jesus, to **become like** Jesus, or to **do what** Jesus does.*

### P R A Y

Ask Jesus to reveal the next step you are to take that would inspire fuller participation in his redemptive mission.

Prayerfully renounce obstacles and ask Jesus for the courage to step forward.

*Take time to wait and pray together. What is Jesus praying for? Come into agreement with His prayers.*

