

## **The Gospel of Mark Message Series**

Discussion Guide based on the morning message on June 27, 2010

*Surely Not I? – Mark 14:10-21*

**Big Idea:** Examine your commitment to Jesus to determine your standing.

### **ICE BREAKER DISCUSSION**

- Ask the group to read the passage trying to use the mindset that it is the first time to read this betrayal. Ask: What emotions does the passage create in you? Why? How are we like Judas? How are we not like Judas?

### **DISCUSSION QUESTIONS**

- Have you ever been betrayed? If so, you can identify with Jesus pain in this moment. Who have you betrayed? Do you betray Jesus?
- How can a person experience the Gospel in a church setting multiple times and not be affected?
- What is significant about where Judas sat? (Jesus had not given up on him. He will not give up on you.) (John 13)
- Why did Judas do what he did? (sin) How does that apply to us? (We are all sinners.)
- Judas ... so close yet so far. How does that apply to our church?
- How does this passage relate to our view of salvation?
  - Salvation without Lordship
  - Loss of salvation?
  - Church membership vs. saved people
  - Evidence of salvationMatthew 7:21-23
- Discuss the progression of sin.

### **APPLICATION**

- Evaluate and deal with your sin this next week. Read Mark 8:36 and meditate on the passage to see what God may say to you.