# Midweek Service

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## There Will Be Weeds

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#### Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43

- <sup>24</sup> Another parable put he forth unto them, saying, The kingdom of heaven is likened unto a man which sowed good seed in his field:
- <sup>25</sup> But while men slept, his enemy came and sowed tares [weeds] among the wheat, and went his way.
- <sup>26</sup> But when the blade was sprung up, and brought forth fruit, then appeared the tares [weeds] also.
- <sup>27</sup> So the servants of the householder came and said unto him, Sir, didst not thou sow good seed in thy field? from whence then hath it tares[weeds]?
- <sup>28</sup> He said unto them, An enemy hath done this. The servants said unto him, Wilt thou then that we go and gather them up?
- <sup>29</sup> But he said, Nay; lest while ye gather up the tares[weeds], ye root up also the wheat with them.
- <sup>30</sup> Let both grow together until the harvest: and in the time of harvest I will say to the reapers, Gather ye together first the tares[weeds], and bind them in bundles to burn them: but gather the wheat into my barn.
- <sup>36</sup> Then Jesus sent the multitude away, and went into the house: and his disciples came unto him, saying, Declare unto us the parable of the tares[weeds] of the field.
- <sup>37</sup>He answered and said unto them, He that soweth the good seed is the Son of man;
- <sup>38</sup> The field is the world; the good seed are the children of the kingdom; but the tares[weeds] are the children of the wicked one;
- <sup>39</sup> The enemy that sowed them is the devil; the harvest is the end of the world; and the reapers are the angels.
- <sup>40</sup> As therefore the tares[weeds] are gathered and burned in the fire; so shall it be in the end of this world.
- <sup>41</sup> The Son of man shall send forth his angels, and they shall gather out of his kingdom all things that offend, and them which do iniquity;
- <sup>42</sup> And shall cast them into a furnace of fire: there shall be wailing and gnashing of teeth.
- <sup>43</sup> Then shall the righteous shine forth as the sun in the kingdom of their Father. Who hath ears to hear, let him hear.

#### Galatians 6:1

Brethren, if a man be overtaken in a fault, ye which are spiritual, restore such an one in the spirit of meekness; considering thyself, lest thou also be tempted.

#### **Revelation 3:2**

Be watchful, and strengthen the things which remain, that are ready to die: for I have not found thy works perfect before God.

