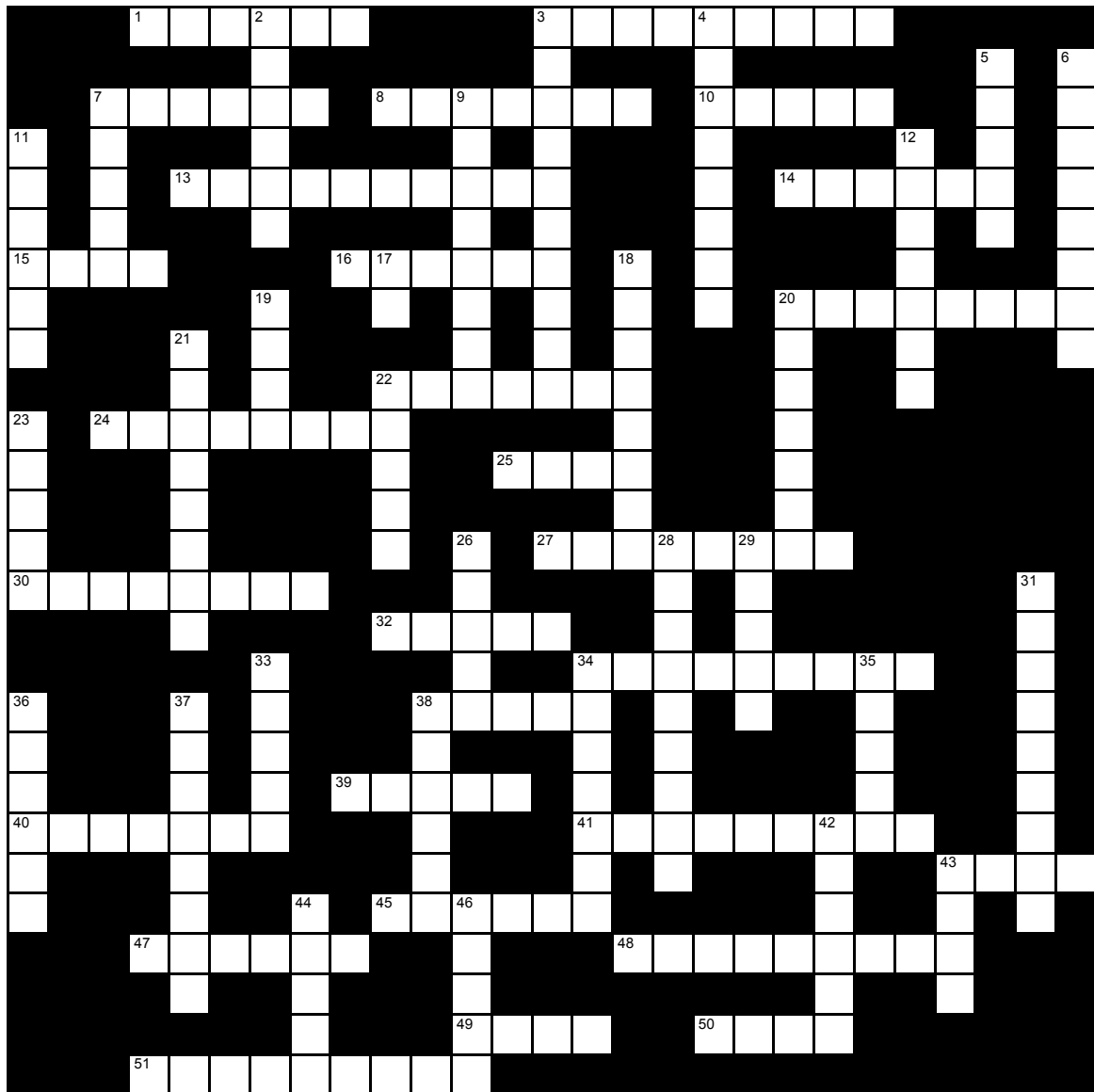


## Encountering Jesus in the New Testament - Chapter 4 - Large



### Across

**1.** John the Baptist brings to mind this Old Testament prophet

**3.** The Sanhedrin determined that Jesus had committed this sin

**7.** The author of Mark

probably came out of a \_\_\_ background

**8.** The \_\_\_ narratives were probably the oldest stories about Jesus circulating in the early Church

**10.** A passerby who helped Jesus to carry his cross

**13.** The turning away from sin

**14.** The Roman prefect of Judea

**15.** Jesus is betrayed with this sign of friendship

**16.** The message to Mark's readers is that the followers of Jesus must be prepared to \_\_\_ as Jesus himself did

20. In Mark's \_\_\_\_, Jesus himself is the Good News
22. The "power" described in Jesus' miracles
24. The site of Jesus' crucifixion
25. Tradition holds that the author of Mark was a companion of both \_\_\_\_ and Peter
27. Literally means "learner"
30. Mark records that Jesus "was not able" to perform many miracles here
32. Mark ends his prologue with Jesus' symbolic \_\_\_\_-day retreat in the desert
34. Mark links the \_\_\_\_ of Jesus to his Resurrection
38. Peter denied that he knew Jesus \_\_\_\_ times
39. Mark's Gospel gives the most vivid portrait of the \_\_\_\_ Jesus
40. Two of Jesus' conflicts involve the \_\_\_\_ observance
41. A word that means: the right to command, official power, and worthy of respect
43. The symbol of St. Mark
45. The messianic \_\_\_\_ refers to certain passages in the Gospels where Jesus tells his disciples not to reveal his true identity
47. Mark's Gospel is the only one to report the shocking reaction of Jesus' \_\_\_\_ to his behavior
48. The second part of Mark turns to this city
49. The Parable of the Growing \_\_\_\_ illustrates that God's Kingdom grows without our knowing how
50. The \_\_\_\_ in the Temple was rent in two when Jesus died
51. A Pharisee who supported Jesus
- Down**
2. An ally of Jesus in the Sanhedrin
3. Jesus is the \_\_\_\_ who is ushering in God's Kingdom
4. At the Last Supper Jesus celebrates a \_\_\_\_ meal
5. Three \_\_\_\_ first hear the news of Jesus' resurrection
6. Jesus taught that God's Kingdom \_\_\_\_, it does not exclude
7. The disciple who betrayed Jesus
9. This is a title Jesus used to refer to himself, emphasizing both his humanity and his divinity
11. The parable of the \_\_\_\_ tenants is directed at the religious leaders
12. The first part of Mark's Gospel takes place here
17. The real culprits for Jesus' Death
18. They continually misunderstand Jesus' teachings
19. The Gospel of Mark was written shortly after the persecutions of the Emperor \_\_\_\_
20. The \_\_\_\_ Mystery is the heart of the Gospel
21. A story involving a sustained comparison in which people, things, and events symbolically represent something else
22. Jesus enters the city of Jerusalem on a colt and is acknowledged as the Son of \_\_\_\_
23. A \_\_\_\_ anoints Jesus as a foreshadowing of his anointing after his death
26. A narcotic used to ease pain
28. Jesus' first major teaching involves five \_\_\_\_ which reveal Jesus to be an authoritative teacher
29. This Apostle correctly identified Jesus as the Christ
31. A Roman \_\_\_\_ professes faith in Jesus at the cross
33. This plays a major role in Jesus' miracles
34. The secret revealed in Mark is that Jesus is the Suffering \_\_\_\_ prophesied by Isaiah
35. The arrest of Jesus takes place at \_\_\_\_
36. Claiming to be a king like \_\_\_\_ was a capital offense
37. A prisoner who was released according to Passover custom
38. Jesus points to himself when he says that the \_\_\_\_ will be restored after three days
42. Jesus curses a fig tree which is a symbol of \_\_\_\_
43. Jesus' Death was a perfect sacrifice undertaken by the \_\_\_\_ of God for our benefit
44. Jesus' healing of the \_\_\_\_ Bartimaeus is instantaneous due to faith
46. "Whoever wishes to come after me must

deny himself, take up  
his \_\_\_\_\_, and follow  
me.”