**Mark 2:18-28**

**“Celebrating”**

**Discussion Questions**

1. Have you experienced an earthquake? Tell about it. What about vertigo? That too can be very unsettling. Tell about it.
2. For the religious people of the day what Jesus was teaching was very unsettling, what thing have you held as true at some point, only up further learning found it to be false?
3. Describe the difference between religion and faith.
4. Tell some of your favorite confrontations Jesus had with the Pharisees.
5. Have you listened to, or watched, some of the blatantly pharisaical teachers of our day? What do you remember them teaching?
6. How do we come to equate changing the carpet with an apostate church?
7. Talk about the difference between reforming religion and placing Christ at the center of all things. How can we practically do this?
8. What state of “rest” are you in regarding really believing that Christ is your Sabbath rest? I rarely sit in that pace of rest. I often find that rest. I rarely find myself outside of that rest. Some other description.
9. How can we avoid legalism and pursue the holiness of resting in Christ?