

Wheelersburg Baptist Church 5/4/2025

Matthew 13:24-30; 36-43 “The Parable of the Weeds”

Series: “The King’s Parables in Matthew’s Gospel”

Main Idea: God’s **kingdom** in this age is composed of two **sons** (people) who have two fathers and two destinations. **Why?**

I. The Sower Has an Enemy (24-28; 39a)

II. The Sower Has a Plan (29-30; 39b-43)

Community Group Discussion:

- 1. Last week we learned about the parable of the Sower. This week we’ve learned about the parable of the weeds. How do the two compare/contrast?**
- 2. Why is it important to understand how to interpret genres like parable? What are some things we need to keep in mind?**
- 3. Read through the parable again. What aspect of the kingdom in this parable stuck out most to you? Why?**
- 4. Why is it important to know about the age we are in? How should this affect our perspective?**
- 5. How did the disciples respond to the parable of the weeds? What can we learn from them?**
- 6. Who is the enemy? What is his purpose/role in this age?**
- 7. What most encouraged you about this parable?**