



Evaluate Your Soil Using the **Mark 4 Parable**

If you haven't yet, read "[Does Your Field Have Good Soil?](#)" In it, Jenilee Goodwin walks the reader through the Parable of the Sower in Mark 4 and asks important questions about the soil where you are working. Throughout the article, she asks questions that would be good for you and your coworkers to answer together. Today we wanted you to give you space with God to think through your field in light of the four types of soil Jesus uses in Mark 4.

- 1 Even if you are on the field, how is the path to your field?
- 2 What are current rocks in your field?
- 3 What are current thorns that could choke out healthy growth in your field?
- 4 Where is the soil shallow so roots can't go deep?
- 5 Where is the soil deep with sun, but not unrelenting sun, allowing growth?