

28-07-2015 English Bible Study
(This material is taken from Serendipity Bible)

Mark 2:23-3:6 Lord of the Sabbath (Discussion Questions)

Open

1 Who is the policeman / policewoman in your family -- always checking to see if you “do it right”?

Dig

1 How does David’s story apply to Jesus’ situation (see 1 Sam 21:1-6)?

2 What causes the tension in the synagogue (3:1-6)? What concerns are shared by the leader? By Jesus/
By the man with shriveled hand?

3 What prompts Jesus’ anger?

4 Review the five conflicts recorded in 2:1-3:6. How does the opposition to Jesus grow? What is the irony
in 3:4-6?

Reflect

1 How have you seen religious rules or institutions hurt people? What causes that?