



Sermon
Discussion
Guide

Sunday, March 24, 2024

In Remembrance of Me

The Body

Read/Reflect

1. Scan all of John 6 as you focus on John 6:35. Please note a) the feeding of the 5000, b) Jesus walking on water, c) the exchange taking place before 6:35, d) the teaching of Jesus after 6:35, and e) the response from the crowd (vs.41, 52).
2. What connection(s) can you make between Jesus' claim that he is the bread of life (6:35) and any one of the other elements in the chapter (as outlined above in question 1)?

Explore

3. How many different kinds of bread can you identify? How central is bread to your diet?
4. Jesus' claim to be the bread of life connects to his life's purpose, and the surrounding explanation tells us who Jesus is for us. Make a list of words and phrases in John 6 that tell us who Jesus is and what he does. How significant or effective for you is the analogy of bread to Jesus identity and what Jesus means to you?
5. How do you regard the element of bread in Communion?

<input type="checkbox"/> It's just part of the ritual	<input type="checkbox"/> Reminds me of Jesus physical sacrifice
<input type="checkbox"/> Never thought of it before	<input type="checkbox"/> It makes me hungry
<input type="checkbox"/> It's like ingesting Jesus	<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
6. Why does Jesus use seemingly outrageous words and images in 6:53-58? What does it tell you about the nature of gaining eternal life? What does it mean for you to "feed on Jesus"?

Pray

- Pray for faith to "work for food that leads to eternal life" (6:29): *Lord, I have trusted You as my Saviour. Help me to continue trusting You for every step that I take in my life.*
- Pray for God's grace to revive and nourish your life (6:35): *Loving Father, thank You for sending Your Son to be Bread that revives me from sin's death and feeds my hungry soul into true life.*