

Newington '25 – 'A Year in the Gospels' together #45 (Oct. 6-11)

Oct. 6-11/ Day 1: Read John 14:1-14:

Q. What are some of the reasons this story is significant...why is it not? How does Jesus wash our feet today?

Q. Why do you think this might be one of the most controversial verses in all of Scripture?

Q. How do you answer others who question or challenge this portion of Scripture?

Oct. 6-11/ Day 2: Read John 14:15-31:

Q. What's Jesus doing in this passage? What's going on?

Q. How has/have this/these truth/s challenged and changed you in life? Or have they?

Oct. 6-11/ Day 3: Read John 15:1-17:

Q. How does this passage illuminate yesterday's passage?

Q. How have you demonstrated your love for Jesus today, in light of these passages?

Oct. 6-11/ Day 4: Read John 15:18-27:

Q. At that time, why would the world hate Jesus? Why would they hate you?

Q. In what ways does the world today hate followers of Jesus?

Oct. 6-11/ Day 5: Read John 16:1-15:

Q. What is the Holy Spirit's job, based on today's reading? What's that looking like in your life?

Q. What role do followers of Jesus and the church play in 'prodding the conscience' of the world?

Oct. 6-11/ Day 6: Study and Meditation – Consider the following questions:

Q. Based on this week's readings, how much of what you do will be pruned & tossed in the fire?

Q. What evidence do you have that you are hated like Jesus?

Q. How might you fall away from following Jesus?