



Monday: John 18:1-14

1. Why do you think John includes this detail about Jesus: “knowing all that would happen to him, came forward” (vs. 4). (See also: John 3:14; 10:17-18; 13:1)
2. What does the cup given from the Father to Jesus represent? (See Isa. 51:17; Rev. 14:10) Why was this necessary for Jesus to drink? (See 2 Cor. 5:17; 1 Pet. 2:24)
3. What was so significant about Caiaphas’ prophecy? (See John 11:49-52; 1 Tim. 2:5-6)
4. Missionary of the week: Pray for Ron and Debbie Fuqua as they share Christ and help plant churches in Romania.

Tuesday: John 18:15-27

1. Why do you think Peter demonstrated a lot of fiery passion for Jesus (Matt. 19:27; 26:33-35; John 13:37; 18:10), but failed under pressure?
2. It is interesting how John’s gospel lacks the emotional intensity of Peter’s denial when compared to the other gospels (Matt. 26:69-75; Mark 14:66-72; Luke 22:54-62). Why do you think John might have left more emotional elements out? (See John 13:38)
3. What observations do you notice about the scene where Jesus stands before the high priest? (vs. 19-24)
4. Pray for people in your Oikos or in your “5 for 5”.

Wednesday: John 18:28-40

1. What is the great irony of vs. 28?
2. What do you learn about Jesus kingdom?

3. What does Jesus say about the truth?

4. Pray for people where they work and live that they would honor God in all they do.

Thursday: John 19:1-27

1. Where Jesus is from, his true identity, and his unique authority are a dominant theme in John's gospel. What does Jesus' statement to Pilate on the nature of authority reveal about Pilate's authority, God's authority, and Jesus' authority? (vs. 8-11; John 10:17-18)

2. John writes the day these events take place is "the day of Preparation of the Passover." Why is that an important detail? (See Deut. 16:2; Ex. 12:5, 12-13; 1 Cor. 5:7; John 1:29; Rom. 5:8-9)

3. What is so ironic or shocking about the chief priests proclaiming, "We have no king but Caesar."? (vs. 16)

4. Pray for government leaders both locally and globally.

Friday: John 19:28-42

1. God commanded in the OT that the Passover lamb's bones were not to be broken. (Ex. 12:46; Num. 9:12) Zechariah 12:10 reflects the action of the soldier piercing Jesus' side. Why is it important John show how these actions fulfilled Scripture? (See also Isa. 40:8)

2. What other OT prophecy is fulfilled in John 19? (See Ps. 22:15-18; Isa. 53:7-9)

3. Why does John write his eyewitness testimony down? (vs. 35)

4. Pray for family and friends.

Saturday and Sunday

Review what you read in John this week. Pray for those serving Christ faithfully and pray for the services on Sunday. Pray the prayer of Colossians 1:9-14.