



APRIL 30, 2017

Reading God's Word

John 21:1 – 19

Discussing God's Word

1. Why did Peter lead the others to return to fishing?
2. Why did the disciples not recognize Jesus at first?
3. Why did Peter jump out of the boat to go meet Jesus?
4. What was the significance of Jesus eating with the disciples?
5. Why did Jesus ask Peter three times if he loved Him?

Applying the Word

1. What do we tend to do when we are unsure or are afraid?
2. Why is Peter's response to Jesus' presence especially instructive to us in revealing how we should respond to Him?
3. Why is Jesus' way of patiently proving of Himself to the disciples such a comforting thing?
4. How does Jesus' restoration of Peter give us hope for when we deny Him?

Praying The Word

- » Pray that the Lord will help us run to Him and not to our earthly comforts when we are afraid.
- » Pray that the Lord will help us run to Him with abandon when He reveals Himself to us.
- » Praise the Lord for proving Himself to us over and over without growing impatient or weary.
- » Ask the Lord to give us confidence in the knowledge that He will restore us like he restored Peter when we deny Him.

Memorizing The Word

- » Review this month's scripture memory passage: John 20:21. Read it, say it aloud, and share it.