



## **Opening**

- **Weekly Christian Formation**
- **Question 43** \*What are the sacraments or ordinances?
- **Answer.** Since the fall, no mere human has been able to keep the law of God perfectly, but consistently breaks it in thought, word, and deed.
- **Scripture Reference.** Romans 6:4

## **Feb 11 Sermon - Study Questions**

- True Worship - *John 15:26-16:15*
- Pray for God's wisdom to rightly understand the passage
- **Questions**
  1. Recap John 13-16. What has Jesus told and shown His followers thus far in the Farewell Discourse?
  2. At the time of this passage, how are Christ's followers feeling? Why?
  3. What does Jesus promise His followers in v.2? What does it mean to be "put out of the synagogue"?
  4. Why does Jesus tell them such discouraging news? (v.1, 4)
  5. Why is it more advantageous for Christ to go away?
  6. What role does the Holy Spirit have in one's salvation? What role does the Christ-follower have?

7. How does understanding the historic context of a “comforter” help you understand this passage?
8. Reading verses 12-15, what can we learn about the Holy Spirit’s relationship with the Father and Son?
9. What things does Jesus want His followers to know in this passage? What things does He want His followers to do in this passage?
10. What is keeping you from walking boldly to be Christ’s witness? How can you better rest in the Comforter as you go into battle?

## **Closing**

- Prayer: Reserve plenty of time to pray for one another.
- Prayer Challenge: Pray that God would provide opportunities for you to share Christ with people.
- Pray that you would make the most of every opportunity (Col 4:2-6).

\*\*Weekly Christian Formation Questions are taken from the New City Catechism