

John THE EXPLICIT Gospel

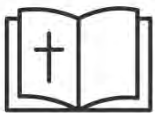
PART 2

Week 12



GROWING DEEPER

Sermon study guide for next-level growth.



Sermon: *The Bread of Life (Part 2)*

Sermon: *Jesus tells the crowds gathered at the synagogue, in Capernaum, that He is the bread of life, and in Him is eternal life. He goes on to say that unless we eat his flesh and drink his blood we have no life. This statement was a deal-breaker for the crowds and all but His 12 disciples left Jesus. The disciples had come to know Jesus as the Holy One of God, and there was nowhere else they would find life. According to Jesus, the Father is the One that brought them to the Son and they believed. To eat the flesh and drink the blood of Jesus is a metaphor for believing in Him and His sacrifice for the forgiveness of our sins and the gift of eternal life.*



Key Passage: John 6:41-71

Questions for discussion:

1. What stood out to you from the sermon/passage?
2. How does grumbling relate to a lack of faith? (John 6:41-43)
3. What is the effectual call of God in salvation? How does God draw people to Jesus? (vs. 44)
4. What is the difference between hearing and learning? (vs. 45)
5. How can someone have eternal life? (vs. 47)
6. What are the similarities and differences between Jesus and Moses? (6:30-34, 49-51)
7. Why does Jesus call himself the Bread of Life? (vs. 48)
8. What does it mean to "eat" the flesh and "drink" the blood of Jesus? (6:33, 35, 53-56)
9. Why did many of the disciples leave Jesus? (vs. 52, 60, 66)
10. How do you know if you are a true disciple of Christ? (vs. 68-69).
11. What are the two parts of genuine, saving faith?
12. What is the encouragement and the warning from Judas being among the "chosen?"



Prayer Prompts

- Pray for those who need to hear the words of life found in the Gospel.
- Pray for God to give you assurance of your own salvation.
- Pray for the daily reminder of the Gospel by which you are saved.

Scripture for further study:

Exodus 16 | Numbers 14:26-30 | Isaiah 54:13, 55:1-3 | Ezekiel 37:4-5 | John 1:11-13, 3:1-17, 10:27-30, 12:32-33, 14:10-15:5 | Rom. 1:16-17, 10:9-14 | 1 John 5:1 | Rev. 3:20

