SIGNS

"Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book; but these are written so that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that by believing you might have life in his name." John 20:30-31 ESV

THE SEVEN SIGNS IN THE GOSPEL OF JOHN

SEVEN SIGNS	SEVEN "I AM'S"	THE GOSPEL OF JOHN
Water to Wine	The Bread of Life	John 6:35
Official's Son	The Light of the World	John 8:12
Lame Man	The Gate	John 10:9
Feeding of the 5000	The Good Shepherd	John 10:11-14
Walking On Water	The Resurrection & the Life	John 11:25
Blind Man	The Way, The Truth & The Life	John 14:6
Raising Lazarus	The True Vine	John 15:1-5

<u>**Reading Suggestions</u>**: (1) Spend time this week reading the various "I Am" statements of Jesus while comparing to them to the 7 signs (2) Read chapters 4-6 in the gospel of John take note of the description of Jesus, who he is, and what he came to accomplish. Circle the word believe or eternal life (life).</u>

READ: John 4:46-54

- 1. Which three words would you circle as being the most important words in giving us insight into who Jesus is and what he has to offer you?
- 2. Which verse is the most meaningful for you in this section? Why is it meaningful to you and how can this verse encourage you this week to trust in the Lord?
- "Unless you see signs and wonders you will not believe" (John 4:48). Is your faith dependent upon signs and wonders or is your faith based on the promises of God?
- 4. "The man believed the word that Jesus spoke to him and went on his way" (John 4:50). Last weekend, Brandon mentioned four types of faith (crisis, confident, confirmed, and contagious), which of these types of faith best represent your faith and how can you move towards a more contagious faith.
- 5. The official knew and believed. What are some of the truths that you are reading about in John that help you confirm your belief in Jesus as the Son of God? This man's whole household believed, what are some signs from God that you can share with your family to encourage them to believe?

NEXT STEP:

• What miracle are you praying for your husband or wife, son or daughter, brother or sister that requires you to believe?