

Remaining in Christ: Jesus' "I am" statements in the Gospel of John

Session VI

Questions for Reflection

The Resurrection and the Life (John 11:1-5)

These questions are deep, and you will need to spend some time reflecting before you answer. We suggest you choose one or two questions each day and work on them throughout the week.

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Questions for Reflection

1. What are you doing when you feel most fully alive? How is God present to you in those times?
2. Think of a time when you felt spiritually, emotionally, or physically at the end of your resources. What forces or events seemed to have you bound up (as Lazarus was bound)? How were you freed and brought back into life? How was God present to you in that experience?
3. Think for a few moments about the world around us. Where do you see other people bound up or spiritually dead? What might be your role in mediating God's life-giving power to people in that circumstance? Is your church engaged in ministry that mediates God's life-giving power to people in need of it? How do you make sure that you are leaning into the power of God and not your own power alone?
4. What spiritual practices help you maintain your sense of being fully alive (participating in eternal life)?

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scribbles, or drawings as you reflect

