

John 6

EVERLASTING LIFE



MCA

Sermon Outline

Key Verse

'The next day the crowd that had stayed on the opposite shore of the lake realized that only one boat had been there, and that Jesus had not entered it with his disciples, but that they had gone away alone. '

John 6:22 NIV

Key Points/Scripture

' "Come," he said. Then Peter got down out of the boat, walked on the water and came toward Jesus. But when he saw the wind, he was afraid and, beginning to sink, cried out, "Lord, save me!" Immediately Jesus reached out his hand and caught him. "You of little faith," he said, "why did you doubt?" '

Matthew 14:29-31 NIV

Jesus Walks On Water

September 21

DISCUSSION GUIDE

Opening Thought

"He is on the mountain while we are on the sea. The stable eternity of the Heavens holds Him; we are tossed on the restless mutability of time, over which we toil at His command." (Alexander Maclaren)

Ice Breakers

- What is your go-to thing to bring to a pot luck? Support why you like to bring that particular item.
- What's your favorite quote?

Dig Deeper

- Read Matthew 14:28-32 Given that Peter had boldness to walk on water, why do you think Peter takes his eyes off Jesus?
- Why do you think that Jesus went up to the mountainside to pray after he forces himself away from the crowd?
- Read Malachi 4:2 then Read Matthew 14:35-36 How do you think these verses relate?
- Do you think the people that begged Jesus to touch the edge of his robe (tallit) understood that Jesus is the messiah that he would fulfill this prophecy? (Do a quick Google search on the word TALLIT to understand what it is.)
- Why do you think Jesus sent His disciples out on the water, knowing there would be a storm?
- Why are trials a good thing? Are you going through any trials that your core group can be praying for?
- Read Mark 6:51-52 Why do you think they didn't understand it until Jesus got into the boat?

Closing

Jesus is the Great I Am. This is a comfort knowing that He constantly sees us and knows us and if we call out to him he will climb into our boat and calm the storm that is inside of us. The question is, will we let Him?