



MEMORY VERSE FROM SUNDAY

Standing behind him at his feet and crying, she began to wet his feet with her tears. She wiped them with her hair, kissed them, and poured the oil on them. (Luke 7:38)

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

SUNDAY	Philippians 2:5-11	The Christ Hymn
MONDAY	Philippians 2:12-18	Be glad
TUESDAY	Philippians 3:1-11	Losing in order to gain
WEDNESDAY	Philippians 3:12-21	Imitate Paul
THURSDAY	Psalms 119:105-112	Your word is a lamp
FRIDAY	Psalms 119:113-120	I love your instruction
SATURDAY	2 Timothy 3:10-15	You have been raised correctly

THINKING ABOUT TODAY'S LESSON:

- Some make a distinction between the Jesus of Nazareth of history and the Eternal Christ of faith. Is this a helpful distinction for you?
- If Jesus is fully human and fully divine, when you think of Jesus, what is more compelling to you, the humanity of the man who was vulnerable, emotional, and loving or the divinity of the man who did signs and wonders?

NEXT WEEK:

The Bible for the skeptic, Psalm 119:105, 2 Tim 3:16-17

THINKING ABOUT NEXT WEEK:

- What does inspiration mean to you? What inspires you?
- What is the Bible? Why is it important? What authority does it have in your life?

CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR AUGUST 24 - AUGUST 31

SUNDAY, AUGUST 24

8:30 a.m. Multi-generational bell rehearsal
9:30 a.m. Worship Service
10:45 a.m. Baptism Class

SATURDAY, AUGUST 30

11:00 a.m. Young Lions Roar
11:00 a.m. Operation Safety Net
12:00 p.m. Community meal

MONDAY, AUGUST 25

10:00 a.m. Two Rivers Readers
12:00 p.m. Bible Study

SUNDAY, AUGUST 31

**JAZZ SUNDAY W/ EDGAR CROCKETT
AND BIBLE SUNDAY**

9:30 a.m. Worship Service
10:45 a.m. Baptism Class

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 27

12:00 p.m. Prayer Group via Zoom & Facebook
6:00 p.m. Handbell Choir Rehearsal
7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

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