Reflection Questions (Weeks 5-8):

Week 5:

- 1. Exodus 11:4 12:13
 - a. What is God asking the people to do with this lamb?
 - b. What did the blood of this lamb on the doorposts communicate?
 - c. Jesus is now called the Passover Lamb, why do you think He is called that today?

Reading Plan

- 2. Exodus 14:13-31
 - a. As the Israelites were fleeing Egypt, what obstacle did they have to cross?
 - b. How did God rescue Israel from the Egyptians chasing them?
 - c. What did God do in your life to rescue you? Thank Him for saving you!
- 3. Exodus 20:1-21
 - a. What relationship does the first four commandments address?
 - b. What relationships do the last six commandments address?
 - c. How do these 10 commandments help us live out what Jesus called "the Greatest Commandment" in Matthew 22: 26-40?
- 4. Exodus 32:1-8
 - a. Why did the people ask Aaron to make a god to worship?
 - b. What is the lie that is being told in verse 4?
 - c. While the Israelites were waiting for Moses to come down the mountain, they stopped trusting God. How are you tempted to stop trusting God's promises when you are in a season of waiting?
- 5. Exodus 40:34-38
 - a. What filled the tabernacle?
 - b. What do the cloud and the fire represent?
 - c. How does the passage apply to how we follow Jesus today?
- 6. Deuteronomy 6:1-9
 - a. What commandments is Moses referring to?
 - b. What does it mean to love God with your heart, soul, and might?
 - c. According to this passage, in what ways should we talk about the things of God with our families?
- 7. Deuteronomy 30:15-20
 - a. What does it mean to "walk in" God's ways?
 - b. What will cause us to perish?
 - c. What are some affects of "choosing life" (v.20)?



Week 6:

- 1. Genesis 3:15
 - a. Who is speaking in this verse and of whom is he speaking of?
 - b. What is this prophecy speaking of specifically?
 - c. How was the head and heel bruised according to the rest of Scripture?
- 2. Isaiah 52:13-53:12
 - a. To whom is this prophetic passage talking about?
 - b. Why is this passage so significant to us as Jesus followers?
 - c. What confidence does this passage give us in the gospel?
- 3. Daniel 7:13-14
 - a. Who has been given dominion and glory and a kingdom?
 - b. What is this kingdom that is spoken of?
 - c. Why is it significant that this Kingdom that the "Ancient of Days" will bring will never be destroyed?
- 4. Zechariah 9:9
 - a. Who is the verse referring to?
 - b. What New Testament passage is a fulfillment of this prophecy?
 - c. Why do you think this prophecy is significant to us as Jesus followers?
- 5. Isaiah 7:10-14
 - a. What "house" will this child be born into?
 - b. Why is the virgin birth of Jesus so significant?
 - c. What does the term "Immanuel" mean? If you don't know, look it up!
- 6. 2 Samuel 7:8-13
 - a. To whom is the Lord speaking?
 - b. What does God tell David he will "establish" through him?
 - c. How is this relevant to our lives today as Jesus followers?
- 7. Luke 24:44-49
 - a. Where in the scriptures did Jesus say things were written about Him?
 - b. To whom would forgiveness of sins be proclaimed?
 - c. What promise did Jesus make to the disciples?



Week 7:

- 1. Luke 2:8-20
 - a. What do you think is the significance of the angel appearing to the shepherds?
 - b. What was the response of the shepherds to the angel's announcement?
 - c. What did the shepherds do after finding Joseph, Mary, and the baby?
- 2. Matthew 1:18-25
 - a. What was Joseph's initial intention upon hearing that Mary was pregnant?
 - b. What did the angel say to Joseph?
 - c. What can we learn and apply from Joseph's response to God's command?
- 3. Mark 3:13-14
 - a. How did the men respond to Jesus' call?
 - b. What two reasons were given for Jesus calling the men?
 - c. What similarity exists between Jesus' first reason for calling the twelve and His first reason for calling us?
- 4. Luke 4:1-16
 - a. Why did Jesus go to the desert?
 - b. In what ways did Satan try to tempt Jesus?
 - c. What lessons do you see in how to respond to temptation?
- 5. John 1:1-18
 - a. Who is the Word?
 - b. What are some characteristics of the Word in verses 1-5?
 - c. What is the right that Jesus promises to those who received him?
- 6. John 15:1-5
 - a. How does the vinedresser care for His vine?
 - b. How does Jesus describe your organic relationship to the vine? How does He describe our one responsibility?
 - c. What does Jesus mean when He says that "apart from me you can do nothing"?
- 7. Matthew 28:18-20
 - a. What does it mean to have "all authority"?
 - b. What does it mean to "go"?
 - c. How can you make disciples where you live, work, and play?



Week 8:

- 1. Romans 1:16-17
 - a. Why is Paul not ashamed of the Gospel?
 - b. According to this passage, who is the Gospel for?
 - c. Who needs to experience the power of God for salvation in your life?
- 2. Romans 5:1-11
 - a. What does it mean to be justified by faith?
 - b. Why can we exult (rejoice) in our tribulations?
- 3. Galatians 2:15-21
 - a. How is someone justified before God?
 - b. What does faith in Jesus look like?
 - c. How is Christ's life supposed to be lived through me?
- 4. 1 Corinthians 6:9-11
 - a. According to this verse, who will not inherit the Kingdom of God?
 - b. What three things have happened to those who follow Jesus according to this passage?
 - c. What does it mean that you have been washed, sanctified, and justified as a Jesus Follower?
- 5. Philippians 1:1-6
 - a. What is the "good work" Paul is speaking about?
 - b. Who started this good work and who will complete it?
 - c. How should understanding that God begins and completes your salvation change your life?
- 6. Romans 8:28-30
 - a. Who is this promise for?
 - b. What is God's purpose for working all things out for good?
 - c. What circumstance can you thank God for today knowing that He is working all things together for good?
- 7. 1 John 3:1-3
 - a. According to these verses, what does God call us as followers of Jesus?
 - b. As His children, what do these verses promise us?
 - c. How should the reality of being God's children effect how we approach the Father today?