

**Jesus the True Passover**  
**For the week of February 10 – 16**

**Big Questions for the week:** When we are hungry where do we go for sustenance? How might we be feeding on non-heavenly food?

**Day 1: John 6:1 – 15 (and Mark 6:30 – 44)**

Three questions to ponder:

- What makes this story a favorite within the church?
- What are the similarities and differences between tellings?
- How does Jesus seek to keep our hunger in the right place?

**Day 2: John 6:16 – 24 (and Psalm 77:13 – 20, Psalm 107:25 – 30)**

Two questions to ponder:

- Where do we read hints of the Exodus story?
- How do the Psalms provide a wider sense of understanding to the calming of the storm?

**Day 3: John 6:25 – 34 (and Exodus 16)**

Three questions to ponder:

- Where do we read hints of the Exodus story?
- Where in life do you find yourself quick to grumble?
- When have you found God giving a sustenance beyond what you had anticipated or expected?

**Day 4: John 6:35 – 59 (and Jeremiah 31:33 – 34, Exodus 3:14)**

Three questions to ponder:

- Where do we read hints of the Israel story?
- We read the first 'I AM' text in these verses. What is the significance of *this* I AM?
- How does Jesus echo Jeremiah? How does this matter?

**Day 5: John 6:60 – 71**

Three questions to ponder:

- If we read Genesis 9:4 & Leviticus 3:17, are we not more sympathetic to the confusion of the crowd?
- How is Peter's confession in v.68 such an important one?
- Try to think thematically: why would John include verse 71 here in the Gospel of John?

**Prayer: That we seek the true food offered by Jesus.**