

Life Group Discussion Questions John 13:1-20 For the week of November 6, 2022

Reading the Text:

- 1. What context does John give us in verses 1-3 that help us frame the story of Jesus washing the disciples' feet?
- 2. Why doesn't Peter want Jesus to wash his feet at first? What eventually changes Peter's mind? Why does Jesus not celebrate Peter's request, but instead declines it?
- 3. In vv. 12-17, what example does Jesus tell His disciples to follow? Is it literally to wash each other's feet? Why or why not? If not, what is it?
- 4. In your own words, how would you articulate the big idea of this passage?

Living It Out:

- 5. What does this passage teach us about the depth and power of Jesus' love for us?
- 6. In what ways can we lovingly and humbly serve those in our Life Group, or in our church, that would be consistent with the ways Jesus modeled in this story?
- 7. In what ways can we lovingly and humbly serve those outside the church or Life Group that are consistent with the ways Jesus modeled in this story?