

Foundations – Week 2

Jesus is the Son of God who became human (John 1:14), died for our sins (1 Corinthians 15:3), rose from the dead (Matthew 28:5-6), and has ascended to the right hand of God (Mark 16:19) Have you ever wondered what Jesus is doing *now*?

According to Scripture, He is *interceding* for us, which means that He is ***stepping in to help***, as is found in Romans 8:34, Hebrews 7:25, and 1 John 2:1. Jesus is also ***ruling and reigning***, as is stated in Hebrews 1:3, 1 Corinthians 15:25, and Ephesians 1:20-22, He is ***preparing a place*** for you, as is found in John 14:2-3, and He is ***actively building and leading His Church***, which is found in Matthew 28:20 and Ephesians 4:11-12. What we know, pertaining to the above Scriptures, is that Christ is *most certainly FOR YOU*, and He desires for His Bride (The Church) to be *equipped* in Spirit and in Truth.

Who is Jesus?

- *Jesus is the Son of God who became human, died for our sins, and rose from the dead.*

Key Scriptures: John 1:1-18; Matthew 16:13-17; Philippians 2:5-11; 1 Corinthians 15:1-8; John 14:6

Ice-Breaker Question: *If someone asked you, “Who is Jesus?” what would you say?*

3 Foundational Truths: *1) Jesus is fully God 2) Jesus is fully man 3) Jesus came to save*

Discussion Questions

- 1) What have you previously believed about Jesus?
- 2) Why does it matter that Jesus is *both* God and human?
- 3) Why was Jesus’ death necessary?
- 4) What does the resurrection mean to you?
- 5) What do you think Jesus means when He says, “Follow Me?”

Practice this week:

Read one chapter of a Gospel every day:

- *Recommended: Mark 1-6*
- *As you READ, ask: “What does this passage show me about Jesus?”*
- *WRITE down one answer each day.*

Memory Verse:

- *John 14:6 “I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through Me.”*