

Week of February 28, 2021

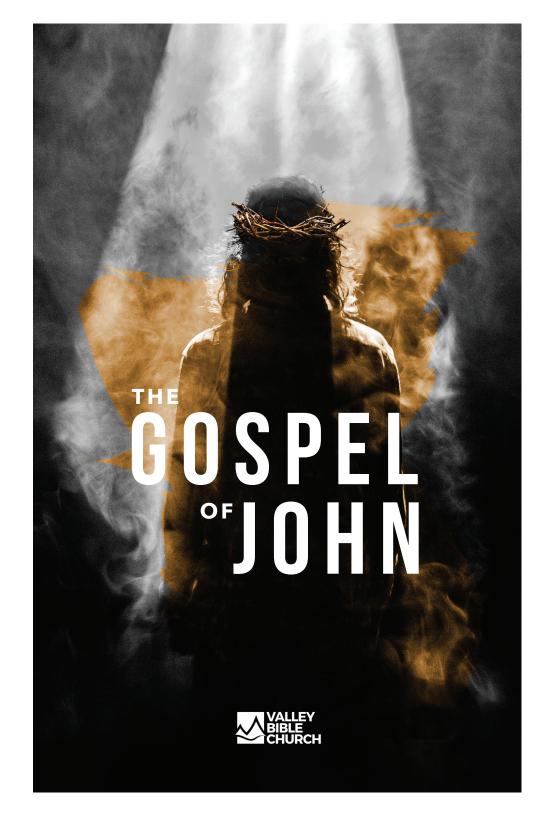
- 1. Thinking back on this week's sermon, was there anything you heard for the first time or that caught your attention, challenged, or confused you?
- 2. When verse 1 says that Jesus, "having loved His own...", what actions come to mind as exemplifying this love?
- 3. Can the devil cause a person to do evil things, such as betrayal (verse 2), in a way that removes the individual's choice to make those actions? Why or why not?
- 4. How do you typically respond when someone offers to serve you? What lessons do you find in this passage about receiving gifts from others?
- 5. How is biblical humility similar or different than the way it is viewed in today's culture? See Philippians 2:1-8 for more details.
- 6. Jesus knew that one of His disciples would betray Him, but still washed their feet. As we seek to do the same, how do we know where service ends and enablement begins?
- 7. What is one lesson you would draw from Jesus' act of service in this passage that is unique to someone in a leadership role? What is a lesson for one who is in a subservient role?
- 8. Verse 17 says, "If you know these things, you are blessed if you do them."
 Where do you see strengths or weaknesses in the way Valley Bible learns and acts out biblical truth?
- 9. List several specific things you could do to serve those in your spheres of influence this week.











MUCH MORE THAN CLEANLINESS

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Introduction: The Upper Room Discourse		
The washing of the disci	ples' feet was:	
An act of		(1-5)
A symbol of	from	(6-11
An example to		(12-17)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NURSERY RE-OPENS TODAY!

Our Nursery is now open for Sunday morning services. Visit *spokanevbc.org/vbc-kids* to read instructions on new check-in procedures if you have nursery kids and haven't checked in since October. Starting today check-in staff will be available to help get you set up.

NEWCOMERS' LUNCHEON

The Newcomers' Luncheon is today right after the second service in room 130. If you are new or want to know more about VBC, please come and join us! Meet the pastors & staff, enjoy a complimentary lunch, learn about our ministries and more! Children are welcome.

MEN'S BREAKFAST

The Men's Breakfast is starting up again on Saturday, March 6 beginning at 8 am. Come and chow down on a delicious meal and hear Nate Larmore speak at the event. Men, high school age and up are welcome.



Safety Team: A ministry dedicated to facilitating a safe worship environment and experience. The safety team is on a rotating schedule of Sunday morning service, along with occasional special events. The team consists of mature believers over the age of 18 who attend ongoing group training and must pass a required background check. For more not, contact Chad Dokken, 509-869-4875, vbcsecurity@spokanevbc.org.

OUR MISSION

As we proclaim biblical truth, we cultivate relationships that are intimate with Christ, active in the Church, & loving the community.

MEDICAL RESPONSE TEAM

We are looking for a ministry lead to help coordinate a medical response team to be on call during Sunday services. Interested in joining this team as a team lead or volunteer? Contact Chad Dokken (vbcsecurity@spokanevbc.org) for more information.

WEEKLY PRAYER MEETING

Join us for a one-hour weekly prayer meeting starting at 6:30 pm on Sundays here at VBC

NICS CONFERENCE

The upcoming free NICS Conference, The Winds & The Waves: Understanding Contemporary Issues in Evangelicalism and Tracing the Impact of 20th Century Liberalism, is March 11-13. VBC once again is thankful to welcome Dr. Evan Burns as he teaches a weekend full of timely and biblical truth. The winds of modern challenges blowing across the landscape and the waves of historical movements still crashing on the beaches of our theology are critical to understand if we are to prevent the erosion of Gospel truth. This will be a weekend to inform, encourage, and motivate our church as we seek to honor God and His Word in shifty times. Visit spokanevbc.org/events for more info and to register.