# AND THEN JESUS ASKED...



### **Groups Discussion Questions**



- What stood out to you in this week's message?
- Were you able to apply that to your life already this week?

#### **READJOHN21:1-14**

- Why do you think these men went back to fishing?
- How would they feel, considering everything that has happened in the last month, to now fish for a whole night and catch nothing?
- When have you felt that way?
- What would have been your response to someone telling you to try the other side?
- In your devotions this week, you learned that fishermen commonly only fished off the left side for two reasons. First, if there was an oar it was mounted on the other side. Secondly, pulling in fish was easier from the left because most people were dominant in their right arm. So, Jesus' suggestion to fish off the other side would not have made sense. Yet they obeyed. When have you been led by Jesus to do something that doesn't make sense in the world's eyes?
- · What happened when the disciples obeyed Jesus' unusual directions?
- Isn't it amazing that the net didn't tear? What if the disciples had seen the huge catch of fish, but were too nervous to pull it in because it could tear! How do we do that in our Christians lives and miss the miracle God is doing?
- · Why do you think Peter recognized Jesus?
- Why did Jesus eat with them?

#### **READ JOHN 21:15-19**

- Picture yourself in Peter's position. How would it feel to be sitting with Jesus like this?
- Jesus asked do you love me, three times. Was it the same question each time?
- Why did Jesus say, feed my sheep?
- How would you respond to these questions from Jesus?
- Jesus ends his conversation with Peter with the same words He first spoke to the disciples. What are they?

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What does it mean to Follow Jesus?

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#### **READ JOHN 21:20-25**

- When is the last time you asked, "What about \_\_\_\_\_" in your heart and mind?
- Why is it so hard for us to avoid the comparison game with other believers?
- When other believers have things or get to do things we do not, and we feel envy creeping up, what should we do?
- Does envy show that we trust in God or mistrust His character?

#### **READ 1 CORINTHIANS 12:12-31**

- What stands out to you?
- How does this relate to Peter's conversation with Jesus about John?
- How does this passage speak into your life right now?