

## Home group questions on John 17

This is a big chapter with lots of potential for depth so use as many or as few of these questions as you need!

### Questions

#### John 17:1-5

- || Why is the fact that Jesus prayed important?
- || What was significant about this hour that had come?
- || What do these verses teach us about Jesus's status?
- || How did Jesus want his Father to be glorified?
  
- || How do we respond when under a lot of pressure?
- || How does the way Jesus start his prayer provide an example for us?
- || How is Jesus's priority different to the worlds?
- || What are the results of self love and self glory?
- || How do these verses provide an antidote to a self obsessed culture?

#### John 17:6-19

- || What do these verses teach us about Jesus's relationship with the disciples?
- || What does he give them?
- || Jesus knows he will be physically leaving his disciples soon. What does Jesus pray for his disciples?
- || Why do they need protection? John 8:44 John 3:19-20
  
- || Why is it important for us to remember that we are engaged in a spiritual battle?
- || If at the critical hour Jesus prioritised praying for the disciples sanctification in the truth how should that impact on our life priorities?
- || How should that affect our life together as a church?
- || When the world seems against us as Christian's how can we take comfort from this prayer?

#### John 17:20-26

- || What are Jesus's main desires for his church in this prayer?
  
- || How might this challenge what we think is the most important thing for the church?
- || How will being united affect relationships with each other?
- || How will being united affect our witness to the world?