THE GLORY OF JESUS, GOD INCARNATE

John 1:1-5,14 Key Verse: 1:14

- 1. What does "in the beginning" mean, and who was there (1-2)? Why does John call Jesus "the Word" (cf. Heb 1:1-2)? What does Jesus' relationship with God reveal about his glory (Jn 17:5)?
- 2. How is the Word related to creation (3; Gen 1:3; Col 1:16)? Why is it critical to accept that the Word is the agent of all creation, including me? What does Jesus' role in creation reveal about his glory?
- 3. What does "In him was life" mean (4; Jn 6:68)? How can we take hold of this life (12)? What does "darkness" refer to, and why could it not overcome (or understand) the light (5; Jn 3:19)?
- 4. What does it mean that "the Word became flesh," and what was involved in this (Php 2:7-8)? What does the phrase "made his dwelling among us" imply?
- 5. How does the author testify about Jesus? What are some ways that Jesus revealed "his glory" (2:11; 11:4; 17:4-5)? In what sense is Jesus "full of grace and truth"? How can we all see and experience Jesus' glory now (Jn 1:12-13; 20:31)?