

The Life of Christ
Summer Book Study

Week Five Discussion Questions

- 1) Christ was described as speaking with “authority” unlike the scribes.
What was meant by this?

- 2) Why did Jesus perform miracles? Are they meant to “prove” power or to
“restore” God’s original design?

- 3) Why was Christ’s claim to forgive sins more shocking than His physical
healings?

- 4) Christ came to usher in a New Kingdom. How is the Kingdom of God
“among us” today?

5) Discuss the significance of The Bread of Life Discourse. Why did many disciples leave Jesus after He spoke of eating His flesh?

6) Consider Peter's Confession. Why was it so important? In what way was he living up to his new name?

7) Reflect on the Transfiguration as a preview of the Resurrection. Why did Moses and Elijah talk to Jesus specifically about His "departure" (death) while in His most glorious state on Earth?

8) How was Peter's suggestion to build three booths an "attempt to dissuade Our Lord" from the Cross?