**Discussion Questions John 5:19-47**

1. Why is the Son so reliant on God the Father? Isn’t Jesus also God? *He does what the Father does, Yes as part of the Trinty*

1. Why does He just do the things He sees the Father doing? *As the Son He does what He see His Father (GOD) doing, and God will show greater works then what the Son does*

1. What are the roles of the Father and Son? *Just as we do the Father leads and teaches and the Son follows and learns*
2. Is either more important than the other? *No*

1. Why does Jesus often use the phrase “truly, truly”? *I speak the truth*

1. What can learn from the fact that the Son gives life to “whom He wishes”? *Jesus was given the power/authority to give life to whom He wishes,*
2. What truth about God can we learn from that? *God is our heavenly Father that we should listen to*

1. Why doesn’t God the Father judge people? *God has given that over to Jesus, those that honor Him honor God, those that do not honor Jesus do not honor God and suffer Judgement*

1. How can we escape this judgment? *Listen to and believe in Jesus to be our Savior*
2. What does it mean that the dead will hear the voice of the Son of God and those who hear will live? *Those who have passed on before us and willing to accept Christ*

1. How do we know that the Son has authority? Where does it come from? *God has given it to him as the Son of Man as well as the Son of God*

1. Who will be resurrected? What will they face after resurrection? *All shall be, those who did good deeds to a resurrection of life, those who did evil deeds to a resurrection of judgement*

1. How do we know that Jesus’ judgment is fair? *He does not seek His own will but the will of God*

1. Why is Jesus’ testimony not true if He is the only one to give it? *Anyone can say they are the Christ without anyone testifying for them, doesn’t make it true*

1. Who is He referring to in verse 32? *God the Father*

1. Who else testified about Jesus? *John the Baptist*

1. Why is this an important point? *Jewish law, if two or more testify the same thing it is true*

1. In what ways did Jesus condemn the Jews He was talking with? *They did not listen to the witness of John, or of the Father, or of Scripture*

1. Why were they hypocrites and blind? *The had read the scriptures and knew what they said but did not believe in Jesus and did not have the love of God in themselves*

1. Did they know God? *No*

1. Why would Moses accuse them? *They did not believe in Moses testimony or Jesus testimony and so Moses would accuse them*

1. Did Jesus fulfill the Jewish requirement to have 2-3 witnesses? Be prepared to give the witnesses or facts that support Jesus’ claim to be the Son of God. *Yes, Moses testified for him and so did God*