

3/6/16 Divine Prayer John 17:6-10

This week's sermon showed us how Jesus prayed for the disciples and also revealed the marks of a true believer. Jesus continues his role as intercessor even to this day.

1. Jesus mentions 3 primary actions from his ministry to the disciples. How do these set an example of discipleship for us?
 - a. Verse 6: "Manifested your name to the people"
 - b. Verse 8: "Given them the words that you gave me"
 - c. Verse 9: "Praying for them."
2. In what ways do you think God wants to see discipleship occur at GBC?
3. In verses 6-10, Jesus prays specifically for the 11 disciples and not for all believers in the world. In what ways should we be praying for the believers at GBC?
4. Jesus mentions the genuine faith of his disciples.
 - a. Verse 8: They have received and believed the truth.
 - b. Verse 6: They have kept God's word.
 - c. How does this help guide us in our daily walk? How does this help us engage others who claim to be believers but their lives do not show it?
*Remember, the disciples grew over time.
5. In verse 10, Jesus says "all mine are yours and yours are mine." This is a claim to what God the Father has. How does this affect your understanding of who Jesus claims to be?