

10/19/2025 – FOLLOW ME (INTO THE KINGDOM) WHERE IS THE KINGDOM? (John 18:33-37)

Icebreakers:

- Would you rather be the king of an island nation or a nation at the center of a trade route?
- What's the most majestic place you've ever been?

Read: John 18:33-37

- Why is Pilate asking Jesus if he is the king of the Jews?
- What do the ideas of a king and a kingdom mean to Pilate?
- What do the ideas of a king and a kingdom mean to Jesus?
- What does it mean that the kingdom of God has come near?

Additional Questions:

- What are some of the different ways people picture the kingdom of heaven today?
- How did Jesus envision the kingdom of heaven?
- How are earthly kingdoms different from the kingdom of heaven?
- How does the kingdom of heaven use power?
- Where have you seen the kingdom of God this past week? (Remember the kingdom looks like the Beatitudes of Matthew 5: 3-10.)
- How can you bring the kingdom this coming week?