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John 3:1-8

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What word or phrase
stuck out?

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What may God be
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How might you
respond to this word?

Lectio Divina (Sacred Reading)



Lectio

Meditatio

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Contemplatio

Oratio

Lectio Divina

- Lectio - Reading
- Meditatio - Meditation
- Oratio - Prayer
- Contempatio - Contemplation
- Incarnatio - Embodiment



Meditate

How might you
incorporate this practice
into your life?