

What the \_\_\_\_\_ Reveals

# JOHN

LIFE IN JESUS

## Jesus and a Frustrating Night of Fishing

John 21:1-14

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*As John begins the epilogue of his gospel, he recounts how Jesus revealed Himself to His disciples through a miracle and a meal that reminds them of who He is, what He's done, and what He's sending the disciples to do.*

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What it Looks Like When the \_\_\_\_\_ Jesus \_\_\_\_\_

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### TAKING ACTION

Pick one of the four ways Jesus shows up in our lives and world today (power, provision, pardon, purpose) and journal or pray about how you have seen this.

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**NEXT WEEK:** *Jesus and Peter | John 21:15-19*

*Growth Groups are the glue that holds our church together, the way we find and follow Jesus together. If you are not involved in a Growth Group, now is the perfect time to jump in at [gracecentralcoast.org/groups](https://gracecentralcoast.org/groups)*

### CONNECT *(ask this question to check-in with your group)*

Share a book, movie, or show you enjoy that employs the technique of flashbacks in order to tell the the story and create meaning.

### DISCUSS *(use some of these questions to process God's Word together)*

1. Read John 21:1–14 together as a group. How did you “come under” God’s Word and the message this week? How did God speak to you in the text/message?
2. John seems to be concluding not just his own gospel account, but all four, using a multitude of flashbacks to other events in the life of Jesus and the disciples. Which flashbacks do you find the most interesting? Can you see where in the text that one is mentioned?
3. Discuss the miracle Jesus performs for the disciples. Why does He do it, and what significance does it have for us as His followers today?

4. Discuss the meal Jesus provides for the disciples. Why does He share a meal with them, and what significance does it have for us as His followers today?
5. How are the mercy (God withholding deserved judgment) and grace (God giving undeserved blessing) of Christ on display in this account? Think about who He is doing the miracle and meal for.
6. John’s account shows the resurrected Jesus revealing power, provision, pardon, and purpose to His followers. Share which of these is most encouraging to you right now in your spiritual journey and why.

### PRAY *(use these prompts to pray in response to God's Word)*

- Praise God for His power, provision, pardon, and purpose invading your life and world through Jesus.
- Pray for the mission of Jesus to be lived out through the members of our church.
- Pray for one another’s needs.