

OPEN WATER

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

MAY 3 | CRAIG REES

Micah 2:12-13 • John 14:6 • Galatians 5:15-25 • 1 Peter 2:21 • 1 John 3:1

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1. Pastor Craig shared how the best advice is from a trusted source. What makes a source trustworthy?
2. Recognizing that God can speak through unreliable sources (1 Samuel 28), how do we keep ourselves open to the truth of what God is saying when a source is either unknown or even unreliable?
3. In finding Jesus we find the way. How do we cultivate a faith that seeks God for who He is, not for what He offers?
4. God knows what we need. How do you discern between what you want and what you need? Can you think of a time when you confused the two?
5. God has gone before us. "Jesus went where no human has ever gone to lead humanity where we've never been." Thinking back on your life, how has God guided you into new pastures? What did that guidance look like? How specific was it and how much was discernment each step of the way?
6. Following in Jesus' steps is shaped and directed by the Spirit. Sadly, the role of the Spirit in the believers' life is often overlooked. How prominent in your spiritual growth has teaching about the Holy Spirit been? What principle about the Spirit's work has been most important to you and why?
7. Remembering the Jewish parable about two men lost in the forest, what does "going together" look like for you?
8. What does saying, "Yes" to both the Spirit and the Scriptures look like for you right now?