JESUS PROMISES THE HOLY SPIRIT

John 14:15-31

Key Verse: 23, "Jesus replied, "Anyone who loves me will obey my teaching. My Father will love them, and we will come to them and make our home with them."

- 1. What does Jesus expect from those who love him (15)? What "commands" has Jesus given? How is a person motivated and empowered to love Jesus (1Jn 4:19; Gal 5:22)?
- 2. What does Jesus promise to those who love him (16-17)? What do we learn about the Holy Spirit in these verses?
- 3. How did Jesus comfort them (18-21)? What do we learn about the relationship between the Triune God and the disciples from these verses? How does this apply to us?
- 4. What did Judas ask and why (22)? What did Jesus say in reply (23-24)? Why is loving Jesus and obeying him inseparable?
- 5. Who is the Advocate and what will he do (25-26)? What other blessing did Jesus promise and why (27)?
- 6. Why should the disciples be glad (28)? Why did Jesus tell them these things (29)? Why did the prince of this world have no hold over Jesus (30-31)? What have you learned about the Holy Spirit and about loving Jesus?