



# FAITH

## Finding Jesus in Unexpected Places

**Icebreaker:** How many Graduation Parties do you have to attend?

**Read Together:** Romans 8:28 (NIV), Romans 8:31-39 (NLT)

**Discuss:**

- What do you see in these scriptures that you have not noticed before?
- What was God speaking to you as Pastor Tim was sharing?
- What is God's desire for us?

Christ is the visible image of the invisible God.

This is who we are!

The ambassadors...

- Representatives of the kingdom
- Representatives of the person
- Representatives of the values
- Representatives of the invitation

**Discuss:**

When we read about Jesus in the Gospels, we can ask ourselves a series of questions:

- What is being communicated?
- What can I learn?
- What can I apply or adjust accordingly?
- What can I imitate?
- What needs to be formed in me?

**Read Together:** John 21:1-14 (NLT), 2 Corinthians 5:21

**Discuss:**

- What do you notice in these scriptures?
- What was the posture and attitude of Jesus as he stood on the shore?
- What was the action that Jesus took on the beach?
- What is the difference between Agape and Phileo love?
- How does Jesus show that people matter to him?

**Reflection:**

- Where are you with Jesus?
- Jesus is inviting you to join Him. Do you want to join Him?
- Who are the people that Jesus loves that you cannot understand why He does?

**Pray:**

- Ask God to show you where you are with Him.
- Ask God to reveal whether you want Him or not.
- Ask God to help you love those you find unlovable.
- Ask God if there is an action that He would have you take that is different than your gut reaction.