

JESUS THE MAN

WORSHIP

Begin by reading and meditating on Psalm 90.

FELLOWSHIP

What's something that's made you laugh recently?

DISCUSSION

1. Read John 1:1-14

a. Why is it crucial to know that Jesus is fully God and fully man?

2. Referring to Jesus' incarnation and crucifixion, Dr. Bruce Shelley's book Church History in Plain Language begins: "Christianity is the only major religion whose central event is the humiliation of its God."

a. What does this mean for the way that we should live as Christians?

3. Read Hebrews 4:14-16

a. What advantage is it to us that Jesus is fully man?

b. Mike said several times that Jesus is the only one who could do what he did to save us. Why is that the case?

c. Has there been a time in your life where the knowledge of Jesus' empathy for your weakness was especially comforting?

PRAYER

Take some time to pray for one another and for the world. As you pray, take comfort in the reality that Jesus intercedes for you and knows what you need because he too was fully human. "Who then is the one who condemns? No one. Christ Jesus who died – more than that, who was raised to life – is at the right hand of God and is also interceding for us"

(Romans 8:34).

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