## John's Gospel – written so that you would believe.

## John 13:1-17

## **Discussion Questions**

- 1. Read John 13:1-17. Discuss generally what inspires and challenges you about Jesus in this passage of Scripture.
- 2. Power was an issue that the disciples had to work through (cf., Luke 22:24). How do we deal with the subtleties of power in our relationships, our home life, workplace, the world and even our church for that matter?
- 3. Discuss Jesus' use of power (cf., Mark 10:45; John 13:3a) and how this impacts your life specifically.
- 4. Are you prone to seeking honour and recognition for yourself? If so, how can you curb these desires?
- 5. Consider the proposition:

"Real life is found by moving downwards not up"

If you understand this in regard to the idea of service and the example of Christ in this passage, to what degree do you resonate with this statement for your own personal life?