

March 23, 2025 *Bread for the Life of the World* John 6:35-51

Take time for some focused prayer of praise:

- Use John 6:35-51 to focus your prayer
- Spend time praising the Father for His work in drawing people to the Son, teaching them, and giving them to the Son!
- Spend time praising the Son for His work in never-ever casting out anyone that the Father gives Him, for losing nothing of all that the Father gives Him, and for raising up those who believe in His name on the last day!
- 1. Are there any ways that you struggle understanding these truths about the Father's actions of drawing and giving? How does Ephesians 2 and Titus 3 help you understand His actions in salvation?
- 2. How do these truths about Jesus' mission comfort and embolden you? (vs. 37-40) What times in your life is it especially important to hold on to these truths?
- 3. How does the truth that Jesus will raise believers on the last day (v. 39-40, 44) affect the way you view life and death?
- 4. Read John 6:48-51 what new truths does Jesus share about being the Bread of Life? How does Jesus foreshadow His sacrifice when He says, "The bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh" (v. 51)?

- 5. This passage emphasizes the twin truths of God's sovereignty and man's responsibility:
 - What encouragement do you find in the fact that God actively draws people to Himself?
 - What are some barriers that keep people from coming to Jesus "just as they are"?
 - How can you take steps this week to share the gospel with friends, neighbors, coworkers, and family members?

What do we see about Jesus?

Jesus is the bread that gives life to the world! He will never cast out those the Father gives Him, He will never lose any the Father gives Him, and on the last day, He will raise everyone who believes in Him!

Respond to the sermon:

- Head: What did you learn / what were you reminded about who Jesus is?
- **Heart:** What specific steps can you take to grow deeper in your relationship with Christ?
- Hands: What ways can you live differently because of these truths?