



Leader's Guide

Week of March 26

The Big Idea

Jesus is unlike anyone else.

Getting Started

1. Read **Acts 3:11-12**. What just happened that gave Peter the opportunity to boldly witness about Jesus?
2. Walk through **verses 13-26** together and talk about the different facets of Jesus' life and ministry (below) and answer (1) how Jesus is like each

facet and (2) how we should respond or live in response to that truth about Jesus.

The 8 Facets of Jesus' Life and Ministry

1. Suffering Servant (13)
***Leader's Note:** Though Jesus had every right to make others serve him, he instead served others. We must serve others rather than seek to be served.
2. Holy and Righteous One (14)
***Leader's Note:** Jesus is our holiness. We are holy and righteous only through him!
3. Author of Life (15)
***Leader's Note:** We gain our eternal life, abundant life, and spiritual life from Jesus.
4. Object of Faith (16-17)
***Leader's Note:** It matters not only how much we believe, but what we believe in! Only Jesus as the object of our faith can save us.
5. Fulfillment of Prophecy (18-19)
***Leader's Note:** Jesus is the fulfillment of all our hopes. It's our responsibility as Christians to point others to this truth.

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6. The Christ/King (20-21)

***Leader's Note:** Jesus is the true king that we have always looked for to meet our need for being saved. King Jesus brings the perfect kingdom as an answer to all our social, economic, political, and personal needs.

7. Prophet like Moses (22-24)

***Leader's Note:** Jesus confronted people with some harsh truths and we likewise need to proclaim truth like a prophet at times. Prophets were often killed and always disliked: that might be instructive to us.

8. Offspring of Abraham (25-26)

***Leader's Note:** Jesus is the fulfillment of a promise of blessing for all people. We are blessed because of Jesus, and we are blessed to be a blessing to others.

2. Which of the above areas is hardest for you to live out? Which do you live out well?
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Pray

Pray in the name of the suffering Servant, the holy and righteous One, the Author of life, the Object of faith, the Fulfillment of prophecy, the Christ, the greatest Prophet, and the Offspring of Abraham. Pray to the Savior and King unlike any other!

Looking Around

1. Which of the above facets of Jesus do you tend to overlook or underemphasize? Which do you emphasize?