SERMON SERIES Cornerstone Church

Jesus. WOW!                      Jason Poling

One Look at Jesus and You Will Be Wowed!                                                    September 12, 2021

**THE MESSIAH IN THE MESS**

**KEY PASSAGE                                                                                                       Using S.O.I.L. method**

Luke 22:63-23:25

INTRO: **Ice Breaker** (for fun!): This Sunday Pastor Jason shared how impressive Jesus is even when he seems defeated and rejected. Share about your favorite comeback or underdog story (it could be from life, sports, a movie, a book, etc.).

**\***Open with a short prayer for the discussion and invite the Holy Spirit into the meeting.

**S**CRIPTURE: Read aloud: Luke 22:63-23:25 (You can ask several people to take turns reading)

**O**BSERVATION

PJP described three ways Jesus WOWs us in this passage. Describe how you see Jesus doing each of these in the text:

1. CONFIDENCE UNDER FIRE (Luke 22:63-71)
2. INNOCENCE BEYOND DOUBT (Luke 23:1-22)
3. CONVERGENCE OF PROPHET, PRIEST, AND KING (Luke 23:23-25; 22:64, 67-70; 23:3, 8)

**I**NTERPRETATION

What does it mean for you for Jesus to be:

Your Prophet?

Your Priest?

Your King?

**L**IFE APPLICATION

PJP says: When you are wowed by Jesus, you will be empowered by Him. Be wowed by the Messiah so you can be empowered to stand strong in your Mess.

1. What WOWs you about Jesus in this passage?
2. How will being WOWed by Jesus empower you in your current situations?

? - Is the Holy Spirit revealing to you an area of your life where you need to make an adjustment? If so, would you be willing to share it so we can all support you and pray for you?

**Ask** for prayer requests from group members.

**Close In Prayer**: Throughout the discussion someone may have indirectly shared a prayer request. It's a good idea to take note of these and ask if they can be prayed for at this time. It's also important to pray for the biblical content that was discussed to become a shaping influence in everyone's life.