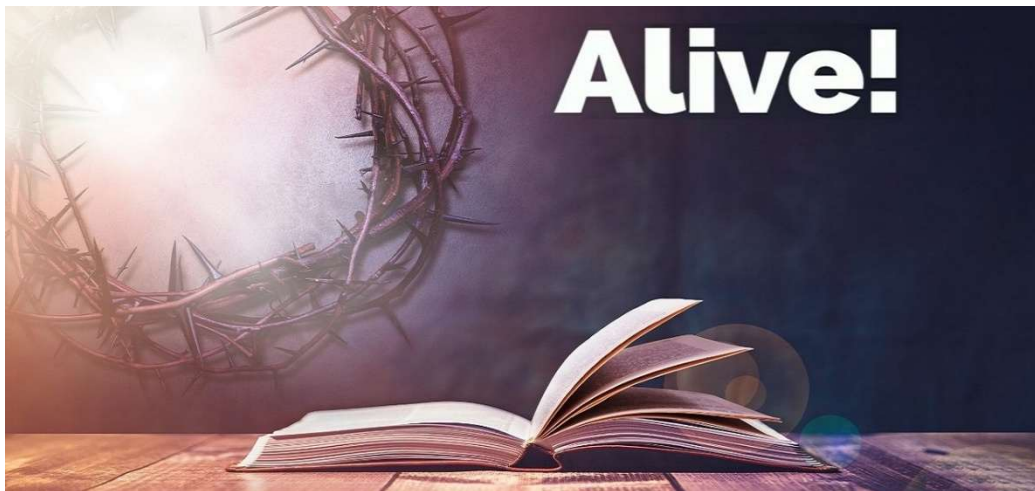




Gospel Discussion Questions

Matthew 14:13-21

What is the message or story?

What is the Good News in this passage?

Why was St. John the Baptist beheaded? Why was he arrested?

Why does Jesus again and again in the Gospels go away from the crowds to deserted places; what is He teaching us?

Jesus clearly has power over nature and can multiply matter; how does this reveal who He is?

If you had seen this miracle, what would you have done?

How is the number 12 significant in the Old and New Testaments?

**Can you imagine a crowd of 5,000 men, not including women and children?
How large was this crowd and miracle?**