## **Discussion Questions**

The following questions help us engage with the sermon, music, and liturgy in this morning's worship service, and may be useful during personal devotions, group studies, and family worship.

1.	What is the purpose of the Gospel according to John? (See John 20.30-31)
2.	Describe the relationship between Martha, Mary, Lazarus, and Jesus.
3.	Why does Jesus wait before moving toward their location and their spoken need?
4.	Describe a time (past or present) when you had to wait on the Lord. During this time, what did you wonder?
5.	How does Jesus state His purpose in all that is taking place? What does this reveal about who He is and His mission?
6.	Describe everything you can about John 11.35, "Jesus Wept."
7.	Why did Jesus weep when He knew what He was going to do?
8.	How should this miracle and the words of Jesus bring encouragement to us when we face extremely difficult and bitter providences?
9.	How does the statement in John 11.25-26 impact the way you see life this side of eternity and beyond?