

YOUNG TWIGS

year 3, week 15

John 11

The sheepfold is a safe place for the sheep. What does it mean for you to know that Jesus is both the door to the sheepfold and the Shepherd of the sheep?

Observation: What does it say?

1. Read John 11. Mark: *Lord/pronouns, Jesus/pronouns, death/die/dead/sleep, glory/glorified, weep/wept.*
2. Separate this chapter into sections and give each section a name that summarizes what happens:
 - Section 1: John 11:1–16
 - Section 2: John 11:17–27
 - Section 3: John 11:28–37
 - Section 4: John 11:38–44
 - Section 5: John 11:45–46
 - Section 6: John 11:47–54
 - Section 7: John 11:55–57
3. When Lazarus got sick, who did the sisters call? What was his response to their call for help?

Interpretation: What does the author mean?

4. Why do the disciples NOT want Jesus to go Judea again? What is His response to them? What do you think that this means, “If anyone walks in the day, he does not stumble”?

5. The disciples seem confused about whether Lazarus is dead or not. Which verses talk about this?

6. Jesus tells Martha that her brother will rise again, but she is confused about when he will rise. What does Jesus tell her about the resurrection and the life?

7. Why does Jesus weep in Jn 11:35? Name another time that Jesus wept.

8. In Jn 11:41–42, Jesus prays out loud. What does He want the people to know about His relationship with His Father?

9. What was the response of the people who were watching when Lazarus came out of the tomb?

10. What was the response of the Pharisees to this “sign”?

11. Compare Jn 11:51-52 and Gen 12:3. How are these verses related?

12. What are the people celebrating during “Passover of the Jews”?

Application: therefore, what shall I do?

13. What important question does Jesus ask Martha in Jn 11:26? Who do you say that Jesus is?

14. Did everyone who saw Lazarus rise from the dead “believe?” Not even this miracle made them believe in Jesus. What does this teach you about belief?