Knowing Jesus John 12:1-9

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Purpose: As Jesus and the disciples are together, Mary anoints Jesus with a very expensive perfume. Her worship and sacrifice help us to see what vulnerability and giving to Jesus looks like in our own lives.

Opening Question: What are some things that are extravagant to you?

Read and Discuss: John 12:1-9

- 1. What are some of the vulnerabilities you think Mary might have experienced?
- 2. What do you think prompted Mary to anoint Jesus?
- 3. What does sacrifice and worship mean to you? What ways do we find ourselves worshipping like Mary?
- 4. How are Judas and Mary different? What ways do we find ourselves like Judas?
- 5. How does worship change us? What happens to our hearts as we worship like Mary?