

“I Am the Quieter of Storms”

Message #8 in the series “Who Do You Say That I Am?”

John 6:16-21

AN OPENING QUIZ: (CIRCLE ALL THAT APPLY)

Why did Jesus walk on water?

- a. To get to the other side.
- b. Uber wasn't available.
- c. Walking on land didn't seem to help the Disciples understand who He was.
- d. He was revealing His Lordship to the Disciples and inviting them to trust Him.
- e. To prepare the Disciples for upcoming struggles, hardships and persecution.

RESPONSES TO JOHN 6:16-21

- 1. Sometimes Jesus calms the _____.
- 2. Sometimes Jesus calms the _____.
- 3. Jesus always _____ in the midst of the storm.

*“Smooth seas do not make skillful sailors.”
~ African Proverb*

John 6:16-21 (NRSV)

¹⁶ When evening came, his disciples went down to the sea, ¹⁷ got into a boat, and started across the sea to Capernaum. It was now dark, and Jesus had not yet come to them. ¹⁸ The sea became rough because a strong wind was blowing. ¹⁹ When they had rowed about three or four miles, they saw Jesus walking on the sea and coming near the boat, and they were terrified. ²⁰ But he said to them, “It is I; do not be afraid.” ²¹ Then they wanted to take him into the boat, and immediately the boat reached the land toward which they were going.

FOR GROW GROUPS AND PERSONAL REFLECTION:

- 1. What stuck out most for you from today's message?
- 2. Who should you share this content with? When will you share it?
- 3. What one thing from today's message will you apply to your life this week?
- 4. Who is one person you might invite to come to church with you next week? How will you invite them?