Our Humble King
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John 13:1-15
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Introduction: This week as we prepare to celebrate Thanksgiving, UPC Family Ministries Director Jill Brinkerhoff invites us to be thankful for the love and care of our humble savior, Jesus Christ, who took the form of a servant and invites us to do the same.

Prayer: Our Father God, help us to realize the full extent of Jesus’s love for us. Amen.

Review: Did Mark Labberton help us to see new meaning in Romans Ch. 12?

Read: John 13 1-15.

Discussion

1. What did Jesus intend when he showed the disciples “the full extent of his love”?
2. Why did Jesus wash his disciple’s feet in the midst of the evening meal?
3. What motivated Peter to initially object to Jesus washing his feet and then to change his attitude so dramatically?
4. Explain your understanding of the word “clean” in verse 10?
5. What was the lesson that Jesus wanted his disciples to learn from his example?

Application: Ask God how you can “wash another’s feet” this week.

Prayer: Jesus, we are so grateful that you lead by example in addition to miracles and teaching.