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We'd love to get you connected!

Our Next Large Group Event:

SNL - Blacklight Games

March 15 | 5-8pm

Church North Entrance



Sign up for a LifeGroup



If your family serves or attends a learning community during the 9 a.m. service and your student is not yet ready to serve, you may register them for our Student Sunday School class (grades 7-12)



STUDENT SERMON NOTES

Mar. 15, 2026



CAFE CONNECTION

Join us in the Student Cafe from 10:15 - 10:40 a.m. every Sunday for snacks, games, and connection between services!



At West Shore, we believe students benefit most on Sunday mornings from consistently worshipping with the whole body of Believers and learning to serve with the Spirit's Gifts.

INTERACT WITH THE TEXT



Circle repeated words, underline important phrases, and draw arrows to connecting ideas.

John 13:3-9 (ESV)

3 Jesus, knowing that the Father had given all things into his hands, and that he had come from God and was going back to God, 4 rose from supper. He laid aside his outer garments, and taking a towel, tied it around his waist. 5 Then he poured water into a basin and began to wash the disciples' feet and to wipe them with the towel that was wrapped around him. 6 He came to Simon Peter, who said to him, "Lord, do you wash my feet?" 7 Jesus answered him, "What I am doing you do not understand now, but afterward you will understand." 8 Peter said to him, "You shall never wash my feet." Jesus answered him, "If I do not wash you, you have no share with me." 9 Simon Peter said to him, "Lord, not my feet only but also my hands and my head!"

UNDERSTAND THE TEXT



Read definitions of important words and concepts.

“Washing his Disciples Feet” - Why was Jesus washing his disciples' feet so shocking to Peter? Peter was so shocked that Jesus would want to wash his feet because this action went against their cultural standard at the time.

After walking all day it was very common for people's feet to be covered in dust, sweat and grime from walking in sandals on dirt roads. The action of washing guests feet was a job for the lowest slave of the house (often a Gentile, rather than a Jewish slave.)

For Jesus, a Rabbi and teacher, to take on the role of washing feet was unthinkable.

When Jesus washed His disciples feet, it was an undignified and messy display of sacrificial service. This was Jesus' way of demonstrating that the purpose of the Messiah was to serve; and that true authority comes from serving others.

ANALYZE THE TEXT



Write what you don't want to forget.

1] The humble, selfless example of JESUS

2] The kind, considerate way of JESUS

3] The ultimate question of JESUS

4] The blessed life & attitude of JESUS

5] The wonderful heart of JESUS

APPLY THE TEXT



Ask these questions in the car ride home.

What is 1 thing you want to remember from this sermon?

Are there any “next steps” God might be calling you towards?
Explain.