

### **Introduction to John chapters 5-10**

**30** *Jesus performed many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not recorded in this book. 31 But these are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that by believing you may have life in his name. (John 20:30 – 31)*

John's purpose statement above means that we should expect each part of his gospel to be showing Jesus as Messiah, Son of God and what it means to believe and have life in his name. So divide chapters 5-10 up amongst the group and try to answer these questions for each chapter:

Messiah – How does John show Jesus as the one promised by the Old Testament?

Son of God – What do we see of his relationship with God?

Believing – What does belief in him involve? Who doesn't believe in him and why?

Life – What does Jesus promise to those who trust in him?