

STUDY GUIDE QUESTIONS – WEEK 18

- 1. What did God expect of the kings of Israel and Judah? Why?**
- 2. Who were God’s messengers to the kings? What type of men were they? What messages were they asked to bring (use specific examples from 1 Kings)? Would you want this calling? Why or why not?**
- 3. Who is Elijah? What is he called to do by God? Where does Elijah meet God in 1 Kings 19? Is this surprising to you? Why or why not?**
- 4. If you were asked to preach a sermon on the story of Naboth’s vineyard in 1 Kings 21, what would be your theme? Why? What would you title your sermon?**
- 5. How do you think first century Jews would have reacted to Jesus’ predictions about Jerusalem and the Temple in Luke 21? Why?**
- 6. If you could ask Jesus one question about the sacrament of the Lord’s Supper, what would it be? Why?**
- 7. If a child in the congregation asked you why we celebrate Holy Communion, what would you tell them?**
- 8. In Luke 22:54-62, we read how Peter denied knowing Jesus three times. In your opinion, what is one way we continue to deny Jesus as disciples today?**