## In our Time REVIVAL: The Cry of the Church

The Scripture: Ezekiel 47:1-10; John 7:37-38

Discussion Starter: What is your favourite water activity? What water activity took you

out of your comfort zone?

## **Questions for Discussion:**

1) As you read these verses (Ezekiel 47:1-10; John 7:37-38), do you believe that the Holy Spirit can bring rivers of living water in your life? How willing are you to allow the Holy Spirit access to your life? How can you be more receptive to the Holy Spirit's work in you?

- 2) In Ezekiel 37, we see the story of dry bones being brought back to life. Has your life ever felt like this? Can you share a story of a time when you experienced the river of the Holy Spirit flowing through you to revive you?
- 3) "We must surrender ourselves so utterly that we can never own ourselves again?" (Simpson). Are you ready for that? Are you afraid of what the Holy Spirit might do in your life? Are we more inclined to tell the Holy Spirit how to work in our life?
- 4) Revival is not Jesus and me, but Jesus in me. What do you need to do in your life to stop struggling against the Holy Spirit?
- 5) God does not fill us with his Spirit for our benefit. He fills us to spill us. Tell of a time when someone filled with the Holy Spirit told you of the love of Jesus or a time when you felt led and empowered by the Holy Spirit to tell someone else of the love of Jesus?

**Personal Challenge:** What do you need to do this week, to let go of control, and let the Holy Spirit lead in your life? John 7:37-38 tells us we need to be thirsty. Are you thirsty for what the Holy Spirit has for you this week?

**Prayer:** Let's pray that Kamloops Alliance Church will be a body of believers who allow the Holy Spirit to move and work in our lives. Let's also pray that God would send us out on mission to bring the love of God to the people of Kamloops, of British Columbia, and the world.