

Questions for Study and Reflection: Reformation 500 5: **To the Glory of God Alone**

Warming up

What's the most glorious view in nature that you've ever seen?

What words or images come to mind when you think of God's glory?

What struck you most about the sermon on Sunday?

Opening the Bible

Turn to John 17:1-5

Why does Jesus want to be glorified? (see vs 2).

Jesus refers to his forthcoming Crucifixion as his 'glorification'. In what way does the cross of Christ show God's glory?

What is the glory that Jesus shared with the Father before the world began? (see vs 5)

Going deeper

Why is it so unappealing when human beings glorify themselves personally?

Is God an egomaniac for commanding us to worship him?

Applying to our lives

'God is most glorified in us when we are most satisfied in him'. Does this ring true for you? And what does it look like in your life to say that *'Christ is enough for me'*?

Which, if any, of the Reformation Solas (Christ alone, Grace alone, Faith alone, Scripture alone, To the Glory of God alone) has made the biggest impact on you these last few weeks? Why?