Discussion Questions for "Behold the Man!"
John 18:28-19:16
Midweek: 9-20-2018 Shabbat:9-22-2018

1. What new insight did you gain by watching this video? How do you respond to this new insight? How will you realign your life based on this new understanding?

2. In Matthew 27:24, Pilate publicly washes his hands to show that he is "innocent of the blood of this just person." How is hand washing in the bible depicted? How are the other biblical examples of hand washing related to Pilate washing his hands?

3. At the conclusion of Yeshua's pronouncing the seven woes against the corrupt Scribes and Pharisees in Matthew chapter 23, He offers a specific prophecy in verses 31-39. How is the declaration from the crowd in Matthew 27:25 a fulfillment of Yeshua's prophecy?

4. In John 19:5 Pilate used the phrase, “Behold the Man” when introducing the beaten and bloodied Yeshua to the gathered crowd. This same phrase is used 5 times in the Old Testament. How would the corrupt Jewish leaders present that day have received this phrase? What would it have brought to their minds? Compare the contexts of the Old Testament usages with that of John 19:5

5. In this teaching we learned that Pilate was motivated largely by fear and to some degree his own superstitions and beliefs. How were the corrupt Jewish leaders also motivated by fear?