

# TUESDAY

## WEEK 2

### **READ & OBSERVE**

- Philippians 2:5-11
- John 1:14-18
- Isaiah 45:23
- Word Study (next page)

### **INTERPRET & APPLY**

- What vocation did Jesus fill that no other human could?
- How does Christ's path to power differ from leaders in our world?
- In what areas of life do you tend to value power or control more than love? What might Jesus be asking you to lay down for the sake of others?

# WORD STUDY

## **EXEGEOMAI (G1834)**

literally, "unfold." metaphorically, to draw out in narrative, unfold in teaching; to unfold or declare the things of God, in John 1:18; translated "*made him known*"

Through his life, Jesus unfolded the greater reality of the sacred and divine God whom Israel worshiped. In Phil. 2:5-11, Paul quotes a popular poem of his time that beautifully describes what we know today as the doctrine of the Trinity. Adam was made to bear God's image, but could not represent Him exactly. Jesus, though fully God, lived as fully human to do what Adam could not.