

7.24.17 Prophet and Kings  
Discussion Questions

Read 2 Kings 2:1-22

After reading the text together answer some of the following discussion questions.

1. What did parts of the story of Elijah's ascension stick with you from previous readings?
2. What should we take away from the fact that Elisha refused to let Elijah continue on his journey without him?
3. What are the similarities between the Elijah/Elisha handoff of authority and the John the Baptist/Jesus encounter at the Jordan?
4. Why is it important to recognize the similarities between these stories?
5. What is the Holy Spirit saying to you through this story?

Finish by praying together.

Reminder: Reminder: We are called to live in such a way that those around us recognize that we are patterning our lives after someone who is different. When we choose the world over our compassionate God we are on a path that leads us nowhere good. Even then, our God chooses to pursue us with love and call us back to relationship with him.