



there must be  
more to **life...**



*Discover  
Jesus.*

## **Suggested Focus for each Month**

These themes have their origins, mostly, in the lections for each month. They have the capacity for exploration as part of the Sunday sermons, and/or study groups, Sunday bulletin articles, etc.

### **December**

*Jesus in our midst* – Advent and Christmas - Incarnation

### **January**

*Jesus for all people* – the Epiphany season – revelation to the Gentiles

### **February**

*Jesus knows our trials and temptations* – Lent, self sacrifice

### **March**

*Jesus confronts/challenges us* – the Lenten Gospels of Jesus in conflict with the religious leaders' expectations; the dichotomy of light and darkness – choosing for God or against; the paradox of dying seed bringing forth life

### **April**

*Jesus reveals new life* – Easter, the resurrection, the life of eternity

### **May**

*Jesus calls us to be love* – the post-Resurrection dialogues; Pentecost and the gift of Jesus' ongoing presence; Trinity – the community of love on which we model our lives as church and people

### **June**

*Jesus goes beyond our limitations* – Corpus Christi – Jesus gives us his very body and blood; Jesus surprises us – the parables of the Kingdom

## **July**

*Jesus provokes questions* – the miracles and encounters with Jesus cause those around to question “who” he is?

## **August**

*Jesus the bread of life* – the Gospels are from the Bread of Heaven passages from St John

## **September**

*Jesus the fount of Creation* – (using the Creationtide material)

and/or

*Jesus the healer* – in relation to the Gospels

## **October**

*Jesus calls us to follow*

## **November**

*Jesus, King of a Kingdom?*