

EMERGE

Session 2



'Move to the Shout'

John 11:38-43

UP: Introduction

- What is the loudest you have ever shouted?
- What was your motivation?
- What was the response?

IN: Explore

READ: John 11:38-43

At the beginning of these passage Jesus is described as being angry? What do you think he was angry about? Why do you think John chose to include this? What does Jesus' anger cause him to do?

Jesus asked for the stone to be moved away this demonstrated and enabled many things including:

- Jesus believed a miracle was about to happen
- Jesus needed Lazarus to hear his voice
- Jesus made space for Lazarus to move

Reflect on these 3 statements how might these encourage or challenge you?

In verse 43 it was Jesus' shout that was the catalyst or the moment that cause life to flow again in Lazarus. The call of Christ was the catalyst for new life, hope and a new future.

How do I respond to this?

OUT: Impact

Here are two questions you might like to ponder:

- What 'stones' do you need to remove in order to hear the voice of Jesus?
- How do you actually hear his voice and how can you help others hear his call?