

**The Book of Signs:
Reading the Sacraments in the Gospel of John
Week 6 | New Life in Christ**

1. John 11:1-54 (The sixth sign)
2. John 11:1-7,11-15: What is the purpose of the sign Jesus is about to perform?
3. How does this sign point to the sacraments of Baptism & Confirmation?
 - a. John 11:44
 - b. John 11:45-46, 12:9-11
4. John 11:43-44: How does this sign point to the sacrament of Reconciliation?
5. John 11:23-27: This passage includes Jesus's clearest statement to date about his identity. How does Martha's belief compare with those who witnessed the feeding of the multitude? (Refer to John 6:14.)
6. Ezekiel 37:12-14: How does the raising of Lazarus partially fulfill this Old Testament prophecy? When will the prophecy's ultimate fulfillment occur?
7. John 11:47-48: What do the Jewish authorities conclude regarding Jesus's signs? How does the author of the Gospel employ irony here?
8. Reading for next week: John 19:16-42, 20:19-23