

***A WORSHIP MINUTE... "Jesus answered, "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me." — John 14:6 (NIV)***

In John 14:6 Jesus says; "*No one comes to the Father except through me.*"

- Many non-believers find it difficult to believe that the only way to God is through Jesus Christ.
- As Christians, we believe that Jesus is God's Son, as well as God Himself.
- As Christians, we also believe that Jesus is the full and complete expression of God's will and way.

In a world where there are so many different belief systems and religious expressions, how do we hold up Jesus as "the way, the truth, and the life" (John 14:6) without putting other people's beliefs down or closing the doors of discussion?

- Recognizing that the Bible is our rule of life and faith ("the canon of all doctrine" as the preamble to ordination in the Presbyterian Church in Canada states) it is clear that we are called to follow its teachings even if those teachings may challenge us.
- Do you find yourself challenged by the fact that Jesus claims to be the only way to God? If so, why?
- Are there other teachings in the Bible you find challenging, which one(s) and why?