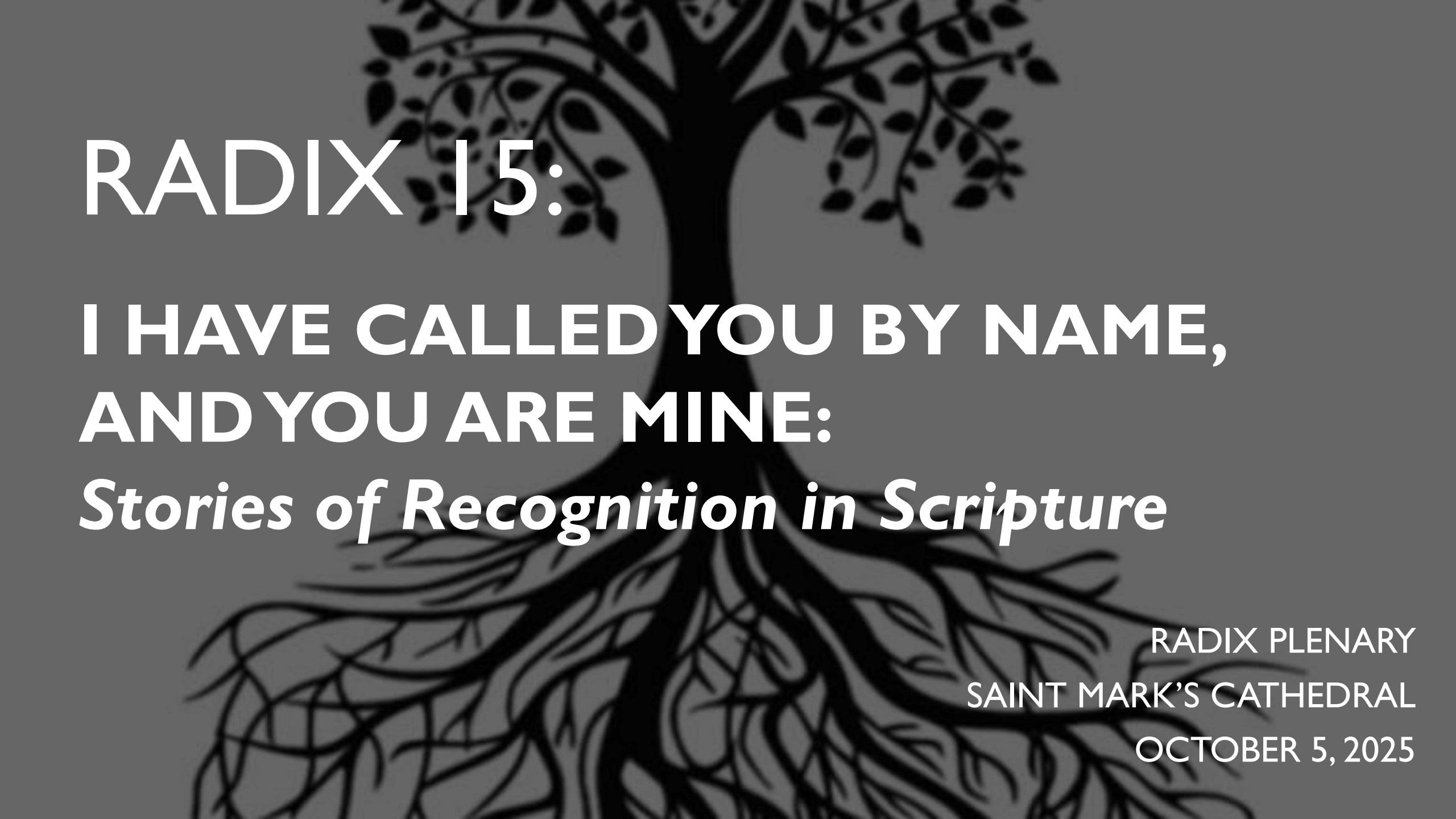




RADIX 15:

**I HAVE CALLED YOU BY NAME,
AND YOU ARE MINE:**

Stories of Recognition in Scripture

RADIX PLENARY
SAINT MARK'S CATHEDRAL
OCTOBER 5, 2025

OUTLINE OF THIS EVENING'S PRESENTATION

- Land acknowledgement & opening prayer
- Introduction to the series theme
- Theological reflections
- Breakout & plenary conversation
- Introducing some stories of recognition—
in the Bible, literature, and film
- The purpose and gift of the Radix Project
- How to get the most out of your Radix group



FLOW OF RADIX 15

Groups begin week of October 6.
(Sunday groups will begin October 12.)

Radix booklet/guide is available at **saintmarks.org/radix** or as printed copy (in church office).

Six scripture passages selected—these are neither prescriptive nor are they exhaustive of the theme of recognition in the Bible.

Part of the invitation in this Radix series is to explore the Bible on your own for other stories of recognition.

Think about moments in your daily life when you have felt seen and known.
How do you recognize the divine spark in others?



THEOLOGICAL REFLECTION

BREAKOUT GROUPS

- Tell about a time you were surprised to be recognized or a time when you were surprised to recognize someone else.

SCRIPTURE SELECTIONS

SESSION 1:

EXODUS 1:15-21.....WEEK OF OCTOBER 5, 2025

SESSION 2:

EXODUS 3:1-15.....WEEK OF OCTOBER 12, 2025

SESSION 3:

LUKE 2:36-38.....WEEK OF OCTOBER 19, 2025

SESSION 4:

JOHN 4: 7-30.....WEEK OF OCTOBER 26, 2025

SESSION 5:

PSALM 139: 1-15.....WEEK OF NOVEMBER 2, 2025

SESSION 6:

LUKE 24:13-35.....WEEK OF NOVEMBER 9, 2025



**WHAT OTHER STORIES OF
RECOGNITION ARE THERE?**
(IN SCRIPTURE, LITERATURE, FILM, LIFE, ETC)

WHY DO THEY MATTER?

THE GIFT OF RADIX



- Connection at a time of isolation
- A way to know one another and be known
- Modeled by Jesus and the early Church
- Deep roots through our shared life in Christ
- More than 500 participants since 2020
- Welcome to Radix 15!

CONSIDERATIONS

- Radix is grounded in threefold focus:
scripture reflection / sharing our stories / praying for one another
- Resist the temptation to orient away from these.
- Be gentle with one another.
- Speak from your own experience and let others do the same.
- Make time as a group to pray together.
- Locate yourself in the peace and power of God's presence.

PARTICIPANT LOGISTICS

Hard copies of the Radix booklet are available in the rear of the nave and in the cathedral office.

Pages 8-12 of the booklet contain guidance for the small group meetings:

- Establish Group Norms
 - Confidentiality
 - Respect & mutuality
 - Logistics
 - Attendance
 - Preparation
 - A commitment to prayer
- Practice Zoom etiquette
- Format for small group meetings
- Questions? Email the planning team at radix@saintmarks.org



QUESTIONS, CONVERSATION, CLOSING