CONVERSATION STARTERS APRIL 12, 2020

STAY CONNECTED

- 1. If you're wondering how best to remain connected as a group during social and physical distancing, we're encouraging regular contact through group chats like WhatsApp and a normal rhythm of group meetings through a video platform like Zoom. For additional Life Group resources and supports, click here.
- 2. As part of your Easter celebration, try a "Zoom Potluck." Book a video meeting at a time when you can share a virtual meal with family, friends, or your Life Group. You may want to share meal ideas in advance so you can all make the same thing or surprise each other with whatever you have when you come online.

Share your responses to these two questions while you eat: What are you most grateful for this Easter? What are you most hopeful for this Easter?

EASTER AT SOUTHRIDGE

- 1. What was most inspiring for you from either our online Good Friday or Easter Sunday services?
- 2. Read <u>Proverbs 4:23</u>. What are you learning about yourself and your heart in this season? Where would you most like to grow? What are you most longing for or wanting to see change in your life through this season?
- 3. Read Ezekiel 36:26-27. What aspects of your life or your character would you like God to remove from you? What attitudes, behaviours, or characteristics would you like God to replace them with?
- 4. How can the resurrection of Jesus make it possible for us to become the fullest version of ourselves?
- 5. What's one part of your life that you want to commit to allowing Jesus to change, replace, or resurrect, especially in this remarkable season of difficulty and loss?

SPIRITUAL PRACTICES

- 1. What practices, routines, or rhythms are you finding most helpful in this season of crisis?
- 2. Visit our new Spiritual Practices page to explore a wide variety of resources, guides, and activities intended to help you practice your faith and deepen your engagement with God's presence.
- 3. To help all of us tap into the resurrection power of Jesus, challenge your family, friends, or Life Group to each visit this page and to pick one resource or practice they will reflect on or experiment with this week. Next time you connect, share which element you chose and how your experience went.

