



Bible study for the week starting April 9, 2023

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What's your favorite or most memorable Easter moment from your childhood?

READ/STUDY/DISCUSS

1. Read **Matthew 28:1-10**. If you take away 5 of the 89 chapters of the Gospels, you lose the resurrection and Jesus stays in the tomb. What's the emotional tone of these verses as Matthew records the story?
2. Read **Jeremiah 31:1-6**. God promises He has loved us with an everlasting love. What are the promises you hear in these verses?
3. Read **Colossians 3:1-4**. What does it mean for your life that you have been "raised with Christ?" The verse literally means "co-resurrected;" how are we living in this reality even now?
4. Read **Exodus 14:10-15:1**. This is an assigned reading for Easter sunrise service. This was the great salvation event of the Old Testament, and it ended in a song of praise. What are the parallels you see between this and Easter?
5. Read **1 Corinthians 15:1-11**. This whole chapter is worth a read. What are the facts, and what are the implications for our lives based on these verses?
6. Read **John 20:1-18**. John gives his account of the resurrection story, and he personalizes it for one believer: Mary Magdalene. How does her experience become *our* experience?

PRAY

Praise God for the victory He has won for us in Jesus Christ, and for all the promises this offers!



One More Chapter

Matthew 28:1-10

April 9, 2023 – Pastor Eric Van Scharrel

One more chapter makes all the difference in the world, whether you are in your LAST chapter or there is a NEXT chapter.

Because your future is SECURE, your present is DIFFERENT.

The 8th Day

It's not OVER until it's OVER.

Everything about the thief's life said this is the END...and everyone AGREED. Everyone except JESUS.

If the resurrection of Jesus is your truth, there is no limit to the IMPLICATIONS and its EFFECT on your life.

Starting next Sunday, April 16: 'Convinced'

Read Acts 24:1-27