

Easter 2020: It's Personal! John 13:1-9, 12-15, 34-35 April 12, 2020 – Pastor Eric Van Scharrel

God's grace is a <u>UNIVERSAL</u> truth, but the message of the resurrection of Jesus is also intensely <u>PERSONAL</u>.

The **<u>POWER</u>** of the resurreciton is what we currently need.

- The resurrection of Jesus offers <u>PEACE</u>.
  Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you." -John 20:19
- The resurrection of Jesus offers <u>PASSION</u>.
  "Did not our hearts <u>BURN</u> within us?" -Luke 24:32
- The resurrection of Jesus eliminates <u>FEAR</u>.
- The resurrection of Jesus promises <u>SECURITY</u>.
  "Who shall <u>SEPARATE</u> us from the love of Christ?" -Romans 8:35
  - The resurrection of Jesus offers a <u>LIVING HOPE</u>. "He has caused us to be born again to a living hope by the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead." -1 Peter 1:3
- The resurrection of Jesus offers RESURRECTION to <u>ME</u>.
  "...in Christ shall all be made alive." -1 Corinthians 15:22

Our God is not **DISTANT**.

If you have been WAITING to get your spiritual house in order...