



Easter Sunday
John 20:1-18



Mary Magdalene went to the disciples with the news:

I have seen the Lord!



Life Groups...

Pastor Jen and I (Pastor James) are so honored to come along side you and encourage you any way we can. We are asking our LG Coaches and Leaders to give us some feedback about how the studies are going. Here's a look at the questions we asked. Please let your LG Leader know any thoughts you may have so they can inform us better. We love you and believe that the greatest life change happens in close Life Groups. So keep going! You're doing amazing work!

- How can we resource you as leaders better during this time?
- How many questions does your online group typically get through?
- How are the questions working for your group?
- Any other feedback you'd like to give?



Open

- What's the first thing you will do when this pandemic is over that you can't do right now?

Dig

- When the resurrection happened, there were multiple reactions from Jesus' followers. Mary thought someone had stolen Jesus' body (fear), Peter believed but didn't understand that Jesus was raised from the dead (lack of understanding), and Thomas doubted it was true even when he saw Jesus face to face because he needed more proof (unbelief) (John 20:24-29). Which of these disciples do you most identify with? Why?
- What questions might you still have about the importance of the resurrection?

Dig

- Have you ever experienced a miracle in your life?
- Do you ever pray for miracles for yourself or others? Why or why not?

These might help...

- Isaiah 43:1 (fear) – But now this is what the Lord says... do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name; you are mine.”
- Psalm 145:3 (understanding) – Great is the Lord and most worthy of praise; His greatness no one can fathom
- Mark 9:24 (doubt) – Immediately the father of the Child cried out and said with tears, ‘I believe! Help me in my unbelief’
- Psalm 42:11 (hope) – Why and I so sad? Why am I so troubled? I will put my hope in God, and once again I will praise Him, my savior

Prayer Requests

- Researchers as they do their work to find a vaccine
- Those who are afraid, anxious, or even becoming angry while sheltering in place in their homes
- Wisdom as the govt, banks, and businesses engage with the CARE Act stimulus funds
- That Christians would “neighbor well”, caring for one another and reaching out to others

Fasting = join Pastor Dave in fasting lunch for prayer for COVID-19 crisis