CONNECT QUESTIONS

- 1) How have you seen God work in your life this week?
- 2) How have you struggled to obey God's Word and live out your faith in Christ this week?
- 3) Read 2 Corinthians 5:14-21. How do you see the "love of Christ" (vs 14) reflected in this passage?
- 4) How are we tempted to live for ourselves?
- 5) Through Jesus, God took the initiative to fix (reconcile) our broken relationship with Him and lead us into new life. In Him, we can actually reflect God's goodness and righteousness! What are some ways that we can live out this new life in Christ today?
- 6) We are also entrusted with a "ministry of reconciliation." How has Jesus' love changed you? How can you share that with others?
- 7) Take a moment to praise God, to pray for the needs of your group and our church, and to ask for God's guidance in the coming week.

Memory Passage

God made him who had no sin to be sin for us, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.

— 2 Corinthians 5:21 (NIV)

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• March 31, 2024 • 10:00 AM

Easter Sunday
Christ is Risen! He is Risen Indeed!

Call to Worship Ashley Schiada

Songs of Praise "This Is Amazing Grace"

"Christ is Risen"

"Thank You Jesus for the Blood"

Prayer Melissa Rudolfs

Announcements / Greet One Another Felisha Caldeira

Sermon Pastor Travis

• True Life •

Songs of Praise "Living Hope"

"Benediction Song"

Benediction

2 Corinthians 5:14-21 (ESV)

¹⁴ For the love of Christ controls us, because we have concluded this: that one has died for all, therefore all have died; ¹⁵ and he died for all, that those who live might no longer live for themselves but for him who for their sake died and was raised.

¹⁶ From now on, therefore, we regard no one according to the flesh. Even though we once regarded Christ according to the flesh, we regard him thus no longer. ¹⁷ Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come. ¹⁸ All this is from God, who through Christ reconciled us to himself and gave us the ministry of reconciliation; ¹⁹ that is, in Christ God was reconciling the world to himself, not counting their trespasses against them, and entrusting to us the message of reconciliation. ²⁰Therefore, we are ambassadors for Christ, God making his appeal through us. We implore you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God. ²¹ For our sake he made him to be sin who knew no sin, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.

Notes: True Life