

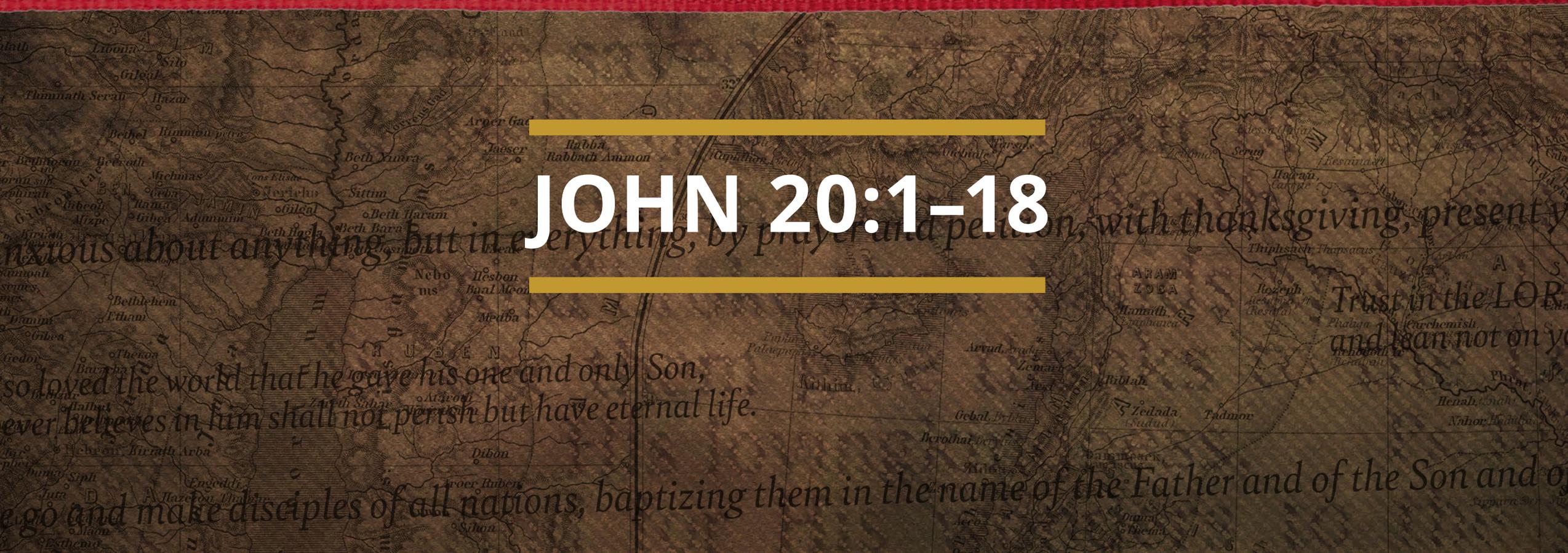


God created the heavens and the earth.

For I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD
"plans to prosper you and not to harm you,
plans to give you hope and a future.

He took up our pain and bore our suffering,

ONE WHO FACED THE RESURRECTION



JOHN 20:1-18

anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present y

so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son,
ever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.

and go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of

Trust in the LORD
and lean not on yo

¹ Now on the first day of the week Mary Magdalene came to the tomb early, while it was still dark, and saw that the stone had been taken away from the tomb. ² So she ran and went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to them, "They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him." ³ So Peter went out with the other disciple, and they were going toward the tomb. ⁴ Both of them were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. ⁵ And stooping to look in, he saw the linen cloths lying there, but he did not go in.

JOHN 20:1 – 5

⁶ Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into the tomb. He saw the linen cloths lying there, ⁷ and the face cloth, which had been on Jesus' head, not lying with the linen cloths but folded up in a place by itself. ⁸ Then the other disciple, who had reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and believed; ⁹ for as yet they did not understand the Scripture, that he must rise from the dead. ¹⁰ Then the disciples went back to their homes.

¹¹ But Mary stood weeping outside the tomb, and as she wept she stooped to look into the tomb. ¹² And she saw two angels in white, sitting where the body of Jesus had lain, one at the head and one at the feet.

JOHN 20:6 – 12

¹³ They said to her, "Woman, why are you weeping?" She said to them, "They have taken away my Lord, and I do not know where they have laid him." ¹⁴ Having said this, she turned around and saw Jesus standing, but she did not know that it was Jesus. ¹⁵ Jesus said to her, "Woman, why are you weeping? Whom are you seeking?" Supposing him to be the gardener, she said to him, "Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have laid him, and I will take him away."

JOHN 20:13 - 15

¹⁶ Jesus said to her, “Mary.” She turned and said to him in Aramaic, “Rabboni!” (which means Teacher). ¹⁷ Jesus said to her, “Do not cling to me, for I have not yet ascended to the Father; but go to my brothers and say to them, ‘I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God.’” ¹⁸ Mary Magdalene went and announced to the disciples, “I have seen the Lord” —and that he had said these things to her.

JOHN 20:16 – 18

THE TRUTH UPON WHICH OUR FAITH STANDS...

Jesus Christ died for our sins and was raised from the dead and lives today in the hearts and lives of those who trust Him. And one day He is coming again physically to the earth; this time not as a servant and sacrifice for sin, but as a supreme ruler who will rule His kingdom on the earth. He will come again as the Lord of Lords and the King of Kings and we shall serve Him and He will reign forever and ever, **amen!**

*Mary had a face
that was **familiar.***

*Mary had a face
of deliverance.*

*Mary had a face
of devotion.*

*Mary had a face
of **celebration.***

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- **The resurrection compels us to “go and tell”.**

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