



5 Day Devotionals for I AM Worship Church

I AM Because HE IS

Pastor Mark Ogletree • Sunday, April 5, 2026



Monday: The Power of Paid in Full

Reading: Colossians 2:13-14; Romans 8:1-2

Devotional: Imagine walking into a bank with a debt you've spent years trying to pay, only to discover someone has already stamped your account "paid in full." This is the reality of the cross. Every sin, every mistake, every moment of shame—Jesus paid it all. The resurrection is heaven's receipt, confirming the payment went through. You don't have to earn forgiveness or work off your spiritual debt. Christ's sacrifice was sufficient. Today, reject the lie that you're too broken or your past too dark for God's grace. The cross is bigger than your worst day. Stand in the freedom of complete forgiveness and let that truth transform how you see yourself.

Reflection: What debt are you still trying to pay that Jesus already covered?

Tuesday: From Death to Life

Reading: Ephesians 2:1-10; John 11:25-26

Devotional: Before Christ, we were spiritually flatlined—separated from God with no pulse of eternal life. But resurrection power changes everything. Jesus didn't just improve our condition; He brought us from death to life. You weren't struggling; you were dead. That's how radical the transformation is. When you encounter the risen Christ, you receive a completely new nature. The same power that raised Jesus from the grave now lives in you. This means dead dreams can be revived, broken relationships can be restored, and hopeless situations can turn around. You're not who you used to be. The old you died with Christ; the new you rose with Him. Walk in that resurrection reality today.

Reflection: What area of your life needs resurrection power right now?

Wednesday: Your Past Doesn't Define You

Reading: 2 Corinthians 5:17; Luke 22:54-62, Acts 2:14-41

Devotional: Peter's story is one of dramatic transformation. He publicly denied Jesus three times, then ran away in shame. Yet after encountering the risen Christ, this same fearful man boldly preached to thousands. His past failure didn't disqualify him; resurrection power redefined him. Your mistakes don't have the final word. Your addiction, divorce, regret, or worst moment doesn't define who you are in



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Christ. When Jesus rose from the grave, He made a way for you to become something entirely new. You're not defined by what you've done but by what He's done for you. The resurrection means your story isn't over—it's just beginning. Let go of shame and step into your new identity.

Reflection: What past mistake are you allowing to define you instead of Christ's redemption?

Thursday: The Choice to Walk Through the Door

Reading: John 10:7-10; Revelation 3:20

Devotional: When Jesus died, the temple curtain tore from top to bottom, removing the barrier between humanity and God's presence. The door to relationship with the Father swung wide open. But here's the truth: an open door requires a response. You must choose to walk through it. Jesus doesn't force Himself into your life; He invites you. Some people witnessed the empty tomb and believed; others walked away. Today, you face the same choice. Will you step through the door of faith? Will you accept the forgiveness offered? Will you surrender control and follow Him? The resurrection changes everything, but only if you respond. Don't let this moment pass. Step through the door Jesus opened for you.

Reflection: What's keeping you from fully walking through the door Jesus has opened?

Friday: Living as a Resurrection Testimony

Reading: Romans 6:4-11; 1 Peter 1:3-5

Devotional: The resurrection isn't just a historical event we celebrate once a year—it's the power we live by every single day. Because He lives, you are forgiven, alive, and changed. You carry resurrection testimony in your very life. Like the miracle of healing celebrated in the sermon, your transformed life points others to Jesus. When people see how God has brought you from death to life, from bondage to freedom, from shame to restoration, they witness the power of the empty tomb. You're not just saved from something; you're saved for something—to display God's glory and lead others to Him. Live today with resurrection confidence, knowing that the same power that raised Christ lives in you.

Reflection: How can your life serve as a testimony to Christ's resurrection power this week?