



Week of March 31, 2024 EASTER 2024 Romans 6

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ICEBREAKER Is your family a "matching outfit for Easter" or an "every man for themselves" family?

Introduction

- If you are a believer, where did you first meet Jesus?
- The power of the Resurrection means that you don't have to live your old life anymore, you can live a new life in jesus. What does the word resurrection mean to you?

Only Dead Things can be Resurrected

- For something to resurrect, it must die. Other than Jesus, which resurrection story is your favorite? Or do you know of others?
- Why do you think Jesus performed resurrections among his other miracles?

Eternal Life Requires the Death of Jesus!

- How would your view of sin change if you had to offer your own sacrifice once a year?
- No one comes to the Father but through Jesus. What are different ways you have tried, or have seen others, try to come to God?

Eternal Life Demands the Death of You!

- What is the one thing that keeps you up at night? Or, what sin or unforgiveness are you holding on to?
- If we die with Christ, then live with him; Does your walk with Him reflect you being a new creation? Explain.

New Life is our Way Of Life, Because of the Resurrection of Jesus

- What are ways you have walked in the "newness of life"?
- Do you feel like you are worthy of the gift of the resurrection?



ACT ON IT



Encourage

Jesus died for ALL. All people, all struggle, all sin, all guilt, all shame, all unworthiness, all liars, all thieves, all addicts... He died for YOU! You do not have to fix yourself before coming to Jesus, he already knows and defeated death for YOU.



Ask

What was your original idea of Easter? And what has changed since the sermon?



Challenge

We challenge you to go all in. If you have not given your life to Christ, NOW is the time! If you are a believer, we challenge you to find a group of believers to help hold you accountable and encourage you in this new life!

Prayer

God, thank you for this marvelous gift of salvation. Thank you that because of your sacrifice, we get to walk this life united with you. Thank you that we get to live a new resurrected life in you. Lord, I ask that as we leave today, that you continue to walk with us and lead us in a way that embodies you. If there is anything that is preventing us from living a fully devoted resurrected life, help us lay it down at your feet. Help us walk upright in this newfound freedom. Thank you Jesus, we love you, Amen.