



Journey Group lesson for "Resurrection" April 8, 2012

Getting Started (Everyone Answer)

What is your favorite Easter memory? Does your family have any Easter traditions?

What are they?

What are you afraid of?

Digging Deeper

Read Matthew 28:5-8

How would you react if you were in the position of these women?

Verse 8 says that they were "afraid, yet filled with joy." What does that mean? How can those two emotions coexist?

Read 1 John 4:18a

What does John mean that there is "no fear in love"?

Why does love drive out fear?

Bringing It Home

Does fear affect our faith? How so?

Greg quoted Eugene Peterson when he said "Resurrection isn't something that happened. It's something that happens!" What do you think that means?

Pray for those who may have heard about Jesus for the first time at church this week. Pray that our fears will be driven out by the love of Jesus.