



THE STORY

A chronological journey
through the Bible

Sermon Series

Journey Group Lesson “The Resurrection” – July 21, 2013

Getting Started

Tell about a time when you knew something was going to happen, but were still surprised and amazed when it actually did.

Digging Deeper

Read John 20:10-18

What did Jesus teach Mary about himself?

Read Luke 24:13-49

On the road to Emmaus the resurrected Jesus taught two men the truth of the Old Testament Scriptures. How does understanding the Old Testament help us understand the New Testament?

Read John 20:24-29

When Jesus revealed himself to Thomas, how did he seek to meet Thomas right where he was and help him move toward faith? How has God met you similarly?

Read John 21:1-19

How did Jesus respond when he realized that it was Jesus on the shore? What did Jesus do to restore Peter and set him back on course to live a life of service?

Bringing It Home

At the end of Jesus’ interaction with Peter, he said, “Follow me!” the same words he spoke when he first called Peter. Tell how Jesus has called you to follow him and one way you are seeking to live out this calling.

Before Jesus ascended back to heaven, he called his followers to specific tasks (The Great Commission). What did Jesus call them and us to and what is God’s part and our part in this mission?

Tell about a person you were close with who has passed away. How is that person’s life still impacting yours?

When we understand the message of the Story and enter a restored relationship with God, we want to share it with others. Who is one person you are praying will enter a relationship with Jesus and how are you seeking to reach out to him or her?

Thank God for people you love who have passed away but still influence your walk with Him. Pray that God will use you in his mission to make disciples of all nations.