

CONNECTION:

- What really stood out to you this past Easter or throughout the Passion series we have been going through?

SCRIPTURE:

- Mark 16:1-8

CONVERSATIONS:

- What do you think most skeptics believe happened after Jesus died?
- What truth or evidence do you cling to about Jesus' resurrection?
- Read 1 Corinthians 15:1 - 8.
 - How does Paul's conversion support the belief in a risen Jesus?
 - How does the timeline of Paul's writing about the gospels within a span of less than 20 years after the resurrection point to the truth of the resurrection?
 - How does the account of so many eye witnesses of a risen Jesus answer skeptics?
- Why does the account that the first witnesses to Jesus' resurrection were women support the truth of the resurrection?
- How does the fact that the disciples believed Jesus was dead and then believed he was alive support your belief in a risen Jesus?
- How does the growth and expansion of the church support your belief in a risen Jesus?
- How is faith in the resurrection not blind faith that rejects human reason but a faith that transcends both science and history?
- How does the resurrection "change everything" for us?

RIDGE CHURCH REMINDERS:

- Starting Point begins April 19th
- Ridge 101 April 24th (Sunday mornings 9-10am)
- Truth and Evidence April 24th (Sunday mornings 9-10am)
- Seniors' Social April 21st

PRAYER:

- PRAY for our ESSENTIALS 101, Truth & Evidence and Starting Point classes beginning this week.
- PRAY for Petals:Refresh as we meet on Tuesdays.
- PRAY for those in our city who are struggling with addictions.



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- PRAY for the peace of Christ to reign in our world.