

Grace Group Notes

To be used in your Grace Group this week...

He is Risen Indeed!

Week of April 21, 2019

Welcome

Let's get to know each other. You can use this question during your meal together.

- Which do you believe more: (a) what you hear? (b) what you see? (c) what you want?

Worship

Let's enter the presence of God together.

Songs led by worship leader or worship resource or read Isaiah 55:1-13 -several times out loud, and ask the Lord to speak to you as you meet together.

Word

Let's interact with God's Word.

Read Matthew 28:1-20

1. *How do the following people react to the news of the Resurrection: The women? The guards? The chief priests? The disciples?
2. Why did Jesus appear to the women before he appeared to his own disciples? In light of Matthew 4:10 what is the significance of the fact that they worshiped Jesus?
3. Upon seeing the resurrected Jesus, how do the disciples respond (v. 17)? Why is doubt mingled with their worship?
4. What is the central command Jesus gives his disciples? How are they to carry this out? (v. 18-20).
5. How did the reality of Jesus' resurrection "dawn" upon you? Were you more of a quick believer or a slow doubter? Why?

Witness

Let's focus on who we can reach out to.

How can we work together to fulfill Jesus' Great Commission (v. 18-10)?

*Questions adapted from The Serendipity Bible, Zondervan Pub.