He Has Risen

Introduction

Scripture Reading: Luke 24:1-12

- 1. The greatest event that happened for each of us took place when Jesus Christ resurrected from the grave.
- 2. The 24th chapter of Luke sheds light for us dealing with the resurrection of Jesus and the events that immediately happened afterward.

Forgetting His Word

Luke 24:1-12

- 1. The stone was rolled away. The body of Jesus was gone. The women were greatly perplexed!
 - A. But why?
 - 1) Because they had forgotten His word.
- 2. Today, angels do not come to remind us of His word.
 - A. The Holy Spirit has that ministry.

John 14:26 But the Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in My name, He will teach you all things, and bring to your remembrance all things that I said to you.

3. We must all be willing to yield to the Spirit and let Him always remind us of the promises that will encourage our heart.

Learning the Word

Luke 24:13-35

- 1. Those two men could have walked and talked for days and never gotten rid of their disappointment.
 - A. Why?
 - 1) Because they lacked the key that unlocks the Old Testament:
 - a. Jesus must suffer and die before entering His glory.
 - B. Their hearts burned as they heard Him teach the Scriptures.
 - 1) Soon, the mourners became missionaries and shared the good news with others.

2. Do we allow the Holy Spirit to teach us on a daily basis? Are we excited for Him to be able to do so?

John 16:13-15 However, when He, the Spirit of truth, has come, He will guide you into all truth; for He will not speak on His own authority, but whatever He hears He will speak; and He will tell you things to come. He will glorify Me, for He will take of what is Mine and declare it to you. All things that the Father has are Mine. Therefore I said that He will take of Mine and declare it to you.

Receiving the Word

Luke 24:36-45

- **1.** Their hearts were troubled, frightened, and doubtful.
 - A. Yet the Lord lovingly reassured them with His word.
- 2. All of us today cannot see or feel His body, but we have the Holy Spirit to make Him real to us from the Scriptures.
- 3. When our heart is troubled or frightened, strive to see Jesus in the precious word of God. John 14:1-6
- 4. When our faith becomes weak, we should again, see Jesus in the word of God.

Romans 10:17 So then faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the word of God.

5. The very first step that we must take toward peace is to receive the word of God with all gladness!

Sharing the Word

Luke 24:46-53

1. Earlier, in verse 31, we see where God opens our eyes and understanding (verse 45) of His word.

A. This is so that when He opens the Scriptures to us, we may open our mouths and tell others about Him.

Luke 24:27 And beginning at Moses and all the Prophets, He expounded to them in all the Scriptures the things concerning Himself.

Luke 24:32 And they said to one another, "Did not our heart burn within us while He talked with us on the road, and while He opened the Scriptures to us?"

2. Jesus gives us the commission, the power, and the message.

Romans 1:16 For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ, for it is the power of God to salvation for everyone who believes, for the Jew first and also for the Greek.

- A. There is no reason for us to be silent because we are here because of and for Him.
- 3. When we experience joyful worship we will have little problem giving the world a joyful example!

Luke 24:52-53 And they worshiped Him, and returned to Jerusalem with great joy, and were continually in the temple praising and blessing God. Amen.

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