

Allen Temple Baptist Church

Sunday School Live

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Sunday April 27, 2024

Text: John 20: 1-10, 19-20

Reference: 1 Corinthians 15

Lesson Title: The Living Word

Message: Jesus Lives

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LESSON BACKGROUND

- 1). THE HOUR OF JESUS**
- 2). THE PASSOVER.**
- 3). THE CRUCIFIXION OF JESUS.**
- 4). THE BURIAL OF JESUS**
- 5). THE RESURRECTION OF JESUS**

LESSON OUTLINE

- 1). The Early Morning Discovery (v.1-2)
- 2). The Empty Tomb (v.3-10)
- 3). Jesus Appears To Mary (v.11-18)
- 4). Jesus Appeared to The Disciples (v.19-23)

PERSONS, PLACES & EVENTS

- 1). Jesus Buried at Josephs Tomb.**
- 2). Mary Magdalene – A woman from the city of Magdala and became devoted follower of Jesus.**
- 3). John – A Disciple & friend, like a brother, the one whom Jesus loved.**
- 4). Peter – one of the first followers of Jesus AKA Simon Peter, Cephas was with Jesus until the end.**

JOHN 20:1 NRSV

1) Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene came to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the tomb.

JOHN 20:2 NRSV

2). So, she ran and went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to them, “They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him.

JOHN 20:3-4 NRSV

- 3) Then Peter and the other disciple set out and went toward the tomb.**
- 4).The two were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first.**

QUESTIONS & COMMENTS

- 1). Why was Mary afraid Jesus had been taken & how did she respond?
- 2). What made John & Peter Believe Jesus rose?
- 3). What details of the findings lead to an abnormal disappearance of Jesus?

JOHN 20:5-6 NRSV

5) He bent down to look in and saw the linen wrappings lying there, but he did not go in.

6). Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into the tomb. He saw the linen wrappings lying there,

JOHN 20:7, 8 NRSV

7) and the cloth that had been on Jesus's head, not lying with the linen wrappings, but rolled up in a place by itself.

8) Then the other disciple, who reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and believed,

JOHN 20:9-10 NRSV

9). for as, yet they did not understand the scripture, that he must rise from the dead.

10).Then the disciples returned to their homes.

KEY POINTS TO REMEMBER

- 1). Mary Magdalene in her discovery & distress thought Jesus had been taken & ran to tell it.
- 2). Peter and John took immediate action!
- 3). The different reactions of John and Peter.

JOHN 20:19 NRSV

**19 When it was evening on that day,
the first day of the week, and the doors
were locked where the disciples were,
for fear of the Jews,
Jesus came and stood among them
and said, “Peace be with you.”**

JOHN 20:21-22 NRSV

20) After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord.

21) Jesus said to them again, “Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.”

KEY POINTS TO REMEMBER

THE MENTALITY OF MARY MAGDALENE.

JESUS APPEARANCE TO THE DISCIPLES.

**THE SIMPLICITY & POWER IN HIS WORDS
TO THE DISCIPLES.**

**QUESTION: WHY DID THE DISCIPLES FEAR
THE JEWS & HIDE?**

Liberating Lesson

The injustice, mockery, corruption, denial and betrayal that led to The Crucifixion of Jesus was all by divine order, although Jesus was obedient until death, he still suffered. His murderers thought they destroyed him; Jesus knew HE would rise Again. Your enemies /satan thought they would destroy you, BUT GOD SAID NO. You Will Rise Again, and now you are a Living Witness.

Application for Activation

Matthew 28:19–20

Therefore, go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely, I am with you always, to the very end of the age.”

APPLICATION FOR ACTIVATION

TELL SOMEBODY

SHOW SOMEBODY

“JESUS LIVES”



How Allen Temple Receives Members

- **Candidate for Baptism:** Upon the profession of faith in Christ as Lord, Savior, and Forgiver of your sins.
- **Christian Experience:** You are inactive as a church member and wish to activate your church membership and renew your relationship with Jesus Christ.
- **Transfer of Membership:** From one church to another by letter



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Next Weeks
Lesson



Acts 10:24-38

Peter Takes a Risk



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