

Is The Resurrection Real?

Easter at Northridge, 1 Corinthians 15:12-22

April 17, 2022

Community Group Discussion Questions

PLEASE READ BEFORE LEADING DISCUSSION

- Recommended questions are highlighted in bold, but select 5 or 6 questions you think will work best for your group discussion. You likely won't have time to discuss all of the questions so choose which questions you will ask ahead of time and make sure to provide plenty of time to focus on the application questions.
- Feel free to edit or reword questions to best fit your group.
- You may want to print out copies of this document for everyone so they can follow along with the questions as you read them.
- Check out this Facilitation Guide (<http://bit.ly/CGFacilitationGuide>) for tips on leading good discussions.

ICEBREAKER (5-10 Minutes)

1. Share your name and answer the following question:
 - What did faith look like in your home growing up?

OPENING THE DISCUSSION (5-10 Minutes) – Have someone recap the message in about a minute or two and then ask the following questions:

2. **What scripture, illustrations, or ideas stood out to you from Sunday's message?**
3. Drew mentioned that there are times we have doubts about our faith.
 - What are some of the doubts you've had about faith and how have you handled them?
4. **Drew shared a few evidences that the resurrection is true. (Review your notes).**
 - Which of these evidences do you find most convincing or helpful?
 - What questions do you still have?

DIGGING DEEPER (10 Minutes) – ask everyone to follow along in their Bible or Bible app. You might consider looking up these passages online and sharing your screen to review them together.

5. **Read 1 Corinthians 15:12-22.**
 - What thoughts or questions come to your mind as you think about these verses?
 - What do we learn in these verses about the importance of the resurrection?
6. **Read Matthew 28:11-17 & John 20:24-29.**
 - How do the doubts of the people in these verses impact how you view your own doubts?

APPLYING IT (10-20 Minutes)

7. **Drew shared 3 responses to this message: 1. Continue to wrestle with your doubts. 2. Believe the resurrection and allow it to change your life. 3. Rejoice and be confident that your faith is not blind.**
 - Which of these responses are you taking?
 - What will that look like for you?