

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 share the link to these questions with 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 are your family's Easter traditions?

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 did you find most helpful or challenging from Sunday's message?
3. **Drew asked, "Are you still amazed by Easter?"**
 - On a scale of 1 to 10 (1 being "unmoved", 10 being "greatly awed"), how would you rate your level of amazement?
 - How has that shifted over the course of your life?
4. Drew shared 2 categories of people in regards to the resurrection: Those who believe and those who doubt.
 - How have your beliefs about the resurrection shifted over the course of your life?
 - If you question the resurrection, what is holding your back from believing?

DIGGING DEEPER (10 Minutes) – ask everyone to follow along in their Bible or Bible app.

5. Read Luke 24:13-35.
 - What stands out to you from this story?
6. Reread Luke 24:30-32.
 - What was it like for you when you first recognized Jesus?
 - What factors might lead someone from unbelief to recognizing the resurrected Jesus and believing?
 - If you don't believe, what questions do you still have for believing Jesus is who He claimed to be?
7. Read 1 Peter 1:3 and 8.
 - What stands out to you from these verses about the impact of the resurrection on our lives?
 - If we lose our amazement in Easter, how might we recapture it?

APPLYING IT (10-20 Minutes)

8. Drew asked, "Does the fact that Jesus is alive still change your every day?"
 - What is an area of your life that needs to change in light of the resurrection?

GROWTH GOALS:

- What is a next step in your faith you want to commit to or recommit to pursue over the next 6 weeks of this group trimester?