

Luke 24 Livechat questions

Welcome

Summary

In Luke 24:1-8, Luke gives us the thrilling climax of Jesus' story of redemption. We learn of the resurrection of Jesus right along with the women who went to the tomb early in the morning on that first day of the week. We discover with wonder the reality that Jesus has risen from the dead just as they discovered it. And we are challenged by the question: "Why do you search for the living among the dead?" It's the triumphant conclusion to God's story of grace that has made Jesus our living hope.

Questions that might help start discussions

1. What most surprised you or stood out to you from this chapter or in what Chrissy taught?
 2. Three times in this chapter, Luke points out that it was God's word - as revealed in Jesus (the word made flesh) and as revealed in the Bible - that opened their eyes to God's redemptive purpose. What do you think is the significance of God's revealed word alongside the living man Jesus? What does that say to us about how we should view/interact with/respond to God's word?
 3. Chrissy pointed out that in John 1 - John wants us to understand that Jesus is the Word of God in the flesh and that true life is in him. Therefore, Jesus is literally the life-giving Word of God. In what ways is Jesus and his Word life-giving to us?
1. Chrissy reflected on the question from the angels - Why do you search for the living among the dead? Recognising Jesus as the life-giving Word of God, how does that impact your understanding of that question? What are the "dead things" in which we (or others) might seek hope or life? Why is it so difficult to recognise that these things aren't life giving?
 2. We also reflected on the actual words that we allow into our lives or that we speak and whether they are life giving or not. How do we discern? Why is there such a temptation to listen to words that do not give life? How do we stop letting in words that do not give life? How do we discipline ourselves to speak words that give life?