

SOUTHVILLE GENERATION

EASTER SUNDAY – HE IS RISEN!

12.04.20 Session Aim

To explore the events of Easter and consider the impact upon our lives today.

Bible Verses to CHECK OUT!

[Matthew 28](#), [Mark 16](#), [Luke 24](#) and [John 20](#)

REFLECT:

Why was it important that Jesus rose from the dead? *(If Jesus didn't defeat death, how can we? Jesus was who He said He was. The resurrection shows that the sacrifice of Jesus on the cross was accepted and our sins are forgiven)*

- READ: [1 Corinthians 15:17](#); [Romans 10:9](#); [Isaiah 53:10-12](#); [Romans 6:23](#))

If the disciples hadn't seen Jesus alive, what do you think would have happened? *(They were to go and make disciples of all nations based on the fact that Jesus is risen; if they hadn't seen him, would they have been able to preach the gospel with certainty? Would Christianity exist today?)*

Resurrection means - Jesus had taken the punishment for sin and had conquered death. Now, because Jesus has been raised from the dead, He promises that those who believe in Him will equally one day enjoy life after death with Him for all eternity.

WHAT'S THE POINT? To understand what happened at the resurrection and it's meaning.

REFLECT/OPPORTUNITY:

Consider this prayer:

Father, Thank you that you made me and love me and are always beside me. I'm sorry when I've messed up in my life. Jesus, thank you for dying on the cross to take the punishment for all my wrongs. I believe you are alive and I trust in you. Holy Spirit, help me on this new journey with you. Amen.

WHAT'S THE POINT? To give an opportunity for response.