

Resurrection Life

Easter Sunday, April 21, 2018

John 20

Signs

The Stone Rolled Away (1)

The Empty Tomb (2)

The Grave Clothes (3-10)

The Angels (11-13)

Appearance – Name (14-16)

Appearance – Touch (17-18)

Appearance – See Wounds (19-20)

Appearance – Touch Wounds (24-28)

Believe

The point

Not to believe in the resurrection

They did! Disciples convinced Jesus rose

What does it **mean** that Jesus rose? Who **is** he?

Their conclusion

Jesus is the Messiah

Jesus is the Son of God

Stories – Coming to Believe

John saw and believed (8)

Mary heard her name (16-17)

Disciples were overjoyed (20)

Thomas saw and believed (26-29)

Life

John and Genesis

John's Gospel opens with an echo of Gen 1

Here near the end an echo of Gen 2 – Genesis 2:7; John 20:21–22

Alive to God

John 17:3; John 20:17; John 20:28