

Week 4 10 May 2020
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Resetting The Way We Think

“Who Will Roll The Stone Away - Not My Worry”

Mark 16:1-8

Sermon Outline

- They went to Jesus with the wrong mindset
(v1-2)
- They were worrying about something that God had already dealt with
(v3-4)
- Jesus was going before them – all they had to do was look up
(v4-7)
- It’s easy for us to be overwhelmed by fear – we get stuck and we worry
(v8)

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Small Group Questions / Discussion

The women went to Jesus early on that Sunday morning worried and concerned. How would things have changed if they went to Jesus' tomb knowing that he wasn't there? Describe the mood and emotions. They went to anoint his body with spices - a good thing - but not the right thing to do. Why?

We too go to meet with Jesus on a Sunday morning. How can our thinking sometimes be flawed? What attitude should we have and what difference would that make? How does a real encounter with God on Sunday help you overcome the fears that arise on Monday?

They should not have worried about the stone - God had it sorted already. Are you someone who thinks too far ahead? If so - would you agree that you often worry unnecessarily?

When they looked they saw that the stone - which was very large - had been rolled away. What typically happens when you "look up" to God in difficult times? Instead of worrying do you normally picture Jesus going before you and sorting it out?

When is doubt a good thing? At what stage does it become a problem? We read that the women saw and heard and eventually believed - What stops you from believing?

God, I acknowledge that I worry too much. Help me to overcome this bully by

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