

**Encounter these verses today:**  
circle words that you identify with,  
underline phrases or sentences you'd  
like to remember, write questions about  
the passage out to the side ...



## Luke 24:13-35 (MSG) | Walk to Emmaus

<sup>13-16</sup>That same day two of them were walking to the village Emmaus, about seven miles out of Jerusalem. They were deep in conversation, going over all these things that had happened. In the middle of their talk and questions, Jesus came up and walked along with them. But they were not able to recognize who he was.

<sup>17-18</sup>He asked, "What's this you're discussing so intently as you walk along?"

They just stood there, long-faced, like they had lost their best friend. Then one of them, his name was Cleopas, said, "Are you the only one in Jerusalem who hasn't heard what's happened during the last few days?"

<sup>19-24</sup>He said, "What has happened?"

They said, "The things that happened to Jesus the Nazarene. He was a man of God, a prophet, dynamic in work and word, blessed by both God and all the people. Then our high priests and leaders betrayed him, got him sentenced to death, and crucified him. And we had our hopes up that he was the One, the One about to deliver Israel. And it is now the third day since it happened. But now some of our women have completely confused us. Early this morning they were at the tomb and couldn't find his body. They came back with the story that they had seen a vision of angels who said he was alive. Some of our friends went off to the tomb to check and found it empty just as the women said, but they didn't see Jesus."

<sup>25-27</sup>Then he said to them, "So thick-headed! So slow-hearted! Why can't you simply believe all that the prophets said? Don't you see that these things had to happen, that the Messiah had to suffer and only then enter into his glory?" Then he started at the beginning, with the Books of Moses, and went on through all the Prophets, pointing out everything in the Scriptures that referred to him.

<sup>28-31</sup>They came to the edge of the village where they were headed. He acted as if he were going on but they pressed him: "Stay and have supper with us. It's nearly evening; the day is done." So he went in with them. And here is what happened: He sat down at the table with them. Taking the bread, he blessed and broke and gave it to them. At that moment, open-eyed, wide-eyed, they recognized him. And then he disappeared.

<sup>32</sup>Back and forth they talked. "Didn't we feel on fire as he conversed with us on the road, as he opened up the Scriptures for us?"



**"With Jesus at a Supper Table"**  
Week # 8 ... Luke 24



Who were these two "disciples" traveling to Emmaus?

Why do you think they couldn't recognize Jesus?

What are some possible Old Testament stories Jesus could have shared with the disciples to help them understand?

What do we learn about Jesus' character in this story?



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# Digging Deeper

[Engage the message throughout the week]

## Monday: 5.09.2011

**Passage:** Psalm 25; Daniel 4:19-27; 1 John 3:19-4:6

**Today's Gospel Reading:** Luke 4:14-30

**Quote:** *O God, you are the giver of all good gifts and I desire to praise your name for all of your goodness to me. I thank you for sending your Son to die for my sins, for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory, through Jesus Christ. Amen.*

**Reflections:** \_\_\_\_\_  
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## Tuesday: 5.10.2011

**Passage:** Psalm 28; Daniel 4:28-37; 1 John 4:7-21

**Today's Gospel Reading:** Luke 4:31-37

**Prayer:** *Lord of all life and power, through the mighty resurrection of Jesus, you have overcome sin and death to make all things new in him. This is the day you have made; I will rejoice and be glad in it. Amen.*

**Reflections:** \_\_\_\_\_  
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## Wednesday: 5.11.2011

**Passage:** Psalm 38; Daniel 5:1-12; 1 John 5:1-12

**Today's Gospel Reading:** Luke 4:38-44

**Quote:** *Lord God, send your Holy Spirit to be the guide of all my soul and body. Give me the light of your presence, your peace from heaven, and the salvation of my soul, through Jesus Christ my Lord. Amen.*

**Reflections:** \_\_\_\_\_  
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## Thursday: 5.12.2011

**Passage:** Psalm 37:1-18; Daniel 5:13-30; 1 John 5:13-20

**Today's Gospel Reading:** Luke 5:1-11

**Quote:** *To you, O God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, my Creator, Redeemer, and Sanctifier, I give up myself entirely; may I no longer serve myself, but you only, all the days of my life, through Christ my Lord, I pray. Amen.*

**Reflections:** \_\_\_\_\_  
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## Friday: 5.13.2011

**Passage:** Psalm 105:1-22; Daniel 6:1-18; 2 John 1-13

**Today's Gospel Reading:** Luke 5:12-26

**Prayer:** *Father, accept my imperfect repentance, show compassion for my infirmities, forgive my faults, purify my motives, strengthen my weakness, and let your good Spirit watch over me, and your love ever rule my heart, through the mercies of Jesus, I pray. Amen.*

**Reflections:** \_\_\_\_\_  
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## Saturday: 5.14.2011

**Passage:** Psalm 30; Daniel 6:19-28; 3 John 1-15

**Today's Gospel Reading:** Luke 5:27-39

**Prayer:** *Now to God the Father who first loved us and made us accepted in the Beloved; to God the Son who loved us and washed us from our sins in his own blood; to God the Holy Spirit who sheds the love of God abroad in our hearts, be all love and all glory for time and for eternity. Amen.*

**Reflections:** \_\_\_\_\_  
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## Join us for Thursday Prayer Between 5:30-8:00 am

The church is open during this time for moments of prayer. This is private prayer in a public place! Prayer guides are available that help you pray for the families of our church, our leadership, staff and other requests as they are made known.

**It's a great way to start the day!**

