

Week 9: Living the Easter Life

Theme: Sent with Hope

Key Scripture: Matthew 28:18–20; Acts 1:8

Focus: The mission that flows from resurrection

Teaching: Easter does not end at the empty tomb. Jesus sends His followers into the world, empowered by the Spirit, to live and share resurrection hope.

Matthew 28:18–20 and Acts 1:8 highlight the mission that flows from the resurrection. Jesus declares His authority over all creation and commissions His followers to make disciples, baptising and teaching in His name. This call is empowered by the Holy Spirit, reminding us that we are not sent alone. These passages invite us to live with purpose and courage, sharing the hope of Christ in our everyday lives and participating in God's work of redemption in the world.

Discussion Questions:

- What does it mean to live as an Easter people?
- Why is mission a natural response to resurrection?
- Where has God placed you to reflect His hope?

Scripture Engagement Questions:

1. How does Jesus' authority shape our confidence in mission?
2. What role does the Holy Spirit play in our witness?
3. Why is mission rooted in relationship, not just responsibility?
4. What fears or barriers keep believers from sharing their faith?
5. How does resurrection hope speak to a broken world today?
6. What does it mean to make disciples in everyday life?
7. How is God calling you to live differently because Easter is true?

Reflection/Prayer: Close the study with prayers of dedication, asking God to help participants live out the hope of the risen Christ.