



SPX Small Groups

Life is Better Together

Do as He Did - Week 1
April 20 – Easter Sunday



1. What stood out the most for you in your celebration of Holy Week?
2. Read this week's Gospel ([John 20:1-9](#)) about the empty tomb.
 - a. From just this passage – How do each of the visitors (Mary, Peter, the beloved disciple) react to the empty tomb? Why?
 - b. The beloved disciple "saw and believed," yet did not understand that Jesus "had to rise from the dead." In your experience, which usually comes first – belief or understanding?
3. Is there any crisis in your life or painful memory that you would like severed so you could lead a more productive or happier life? Why or why not?
4. For the disciples, what lingering memories of Jesus' arrest, passion and death might have stood out or held them back?
5. How did the Holy Spirit transform their pain and suffering, rather than severing it?
6. Can you share a time when God transformed any messy situation, crisis, or painful memory in your life in a way you originally could not envision? Did God change the situation, change your reaction to it, or somehow use that experience to help you grow?
7. Is anything impossible for God? If yes, what? If not, why can the world still look so broken despite Jesus' resurrection?
8. How does Jesus' resurrection change, inspire, or fuel you to be more like Jesus and do as he did?