APRIL 15/16, 2017 | EASTER SERVICE | BRAD BRINSON

WHAT IF...

"If Christ has not been raised, then our preaching is in _____

and your faith is in ______" 1 Corinthians 15:14

Alternative explanations to the resurrection:

1. The _____ Theory

2. The _____ Theory

Jesus appeared to people in this order:

- Mary Magdalene. John 20:14-16
- 3 other women. *Matthew* 28:9



- 2 unnamed disciples on the road to Emmaus. Luke 24:13-16
- The disciples in the upper room (except Thomas). John 20:19-24
- All the disciples in the upper room (including ______). John 20:26-28
- disciples at the Sea of Galilee. John 21:1-14
- _____ people at one time in Jerusalem. 1 Corinthians 15:6
- James & then Saul who later changed his name to ______ 1 Corinthians 15:7-8
- **3. The Theory** John 19:26-27; Matthew 27:55; John 20:24
- **4. The _____ Theory** Matthew 28:11-15; Matthew 28:2-4

A convincing proof that Jesus did rise from the grave:

- Five weeks after Jesus' reported resurrection, Peter spoke to the people of
- What the people of Jerusalem had seen. Matthew 27:51-53
- Peter, who just weeks earlier had ______ Jesus, now spoke boldly declaring Jesus had risen from the grave. Acts 2:22-24
- The response of those in Jerusalem. Acts 2:37
- **Did** ______ **claim that He would rise again?** John 2:19-22; Matthew 12:39-40 & 16:21

What if Jesus didn't rise again?

1 Corinthians 15:17-19: Isaiah 53:6 is not true

What if Jesus did rise again?

Romans 6:23: John 19:28: 1 Corinthians 15:20

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FAMILY

Anchor Class: The Anchor is a 30-minute class for parents & kids (K-5th) to learn about what it means to have a personal relationship with Jesus. The Anchor is designed to help parents help their kids to begin their spiritual journey. The next Anchor class is April 30 at **11:00A in the Conference Room**. There is no registration required, feel free to just show up!

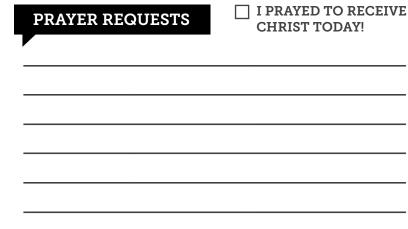
ADULTS

Intertwined Women's Event: Women, high school age and beyond, are invited to join with other 2RC ladies as we see how God intertwines us to Him and to each other! We will have brunch, worship and 3 special speakers; different stories, different generations, same Savior. April 29 at 10:00A in the Student Center. Cost is \$5. Register at **2RC.tv/WomensEvent**.

Men's Campfire: Join us April 22 at 7:15A in The Shed. Share a hearty breakfast & coffee around the campfire. After, groups will head out for golfing or skeet shooting. Breakfast will be \$5, with additional cost for activities. Learn more & register at **2RC.tv/Campfire**.

ROANE COUNTY

Roane County Serve Day: If you are going to be a part of the Roane County Campus, we will be going out together to show the community we are here to serve them. We will meet on Sunday, April 30 at 10:00A at the Kingston City Park, Large Pavilion. Sign up to let us know if you will be there and who will be coming with you! **2RC.tv/RCServe**



MID-WEEK TIMES

MSM (6-8 Grade) Wednesday 6:30-8:30P River Splash | 2RC.tv/MSM

FUEL (9-12 Grade) Wednesday 6:30-8:30P Student Center | 2RC.tv/FUEL

The Well (Prayer & Worship) Wednesday 6:30-8:30P River Room | 2RC.tv/WELL

1829 (18-29 years old) 1st Thursday 7:00-8:30P The Shed | 2RC.tv/1829



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Putting The Bible Into Practice:

What questions, concerns or issues do people wrestle with regarding Jesus' teaching, ministry, sacrifice & resurrection? What theories attempt to refute the empty tomb?

Brainstorm a list of evidence for the resurrection. What evidence is most convincing to you? Describe how your personal experiences with Jesus have bolstered your faith.

Read 1 Corinthians 15. Share observations & applications that stand out in verses 1-11; 12-34; 35-49 & 50-58. For those who have, share your story of when & how you believed in & received Jesus. How has your relationship with Jesus impacted your life?

Challenge:

This week, read the Gospel of John ϑ invite Jesus to reveal Himself to you (3 chapters a day). Check out Kyle Idleman's "The Easter Experience" on RightNow Media. 2RC.ty/RightNow



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