

Welcome to



Follow Jesus. Be transformed.

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WE'RE GLAD YOU ARE WITH US TODAY!

HERE'S WHAT IS COMING UP:

Welcome!

We hope that, in many ways, we have communicated to you how glad we are to have you worship with us this Easter Sunday. If you are new to Grace, your presence here is a gift from God that we don't take lightly. We welcome the opportunity to serve you in any way we can, so that you can share the amazing privilege we have to enter into the presence of our risen King and experience His transformative power!

Get Connected with Grace Community Groups

If you are not involved in a small group and you would like to get connected, we want to get to know you! Fill out one of the "Small Group Information Forms" on the Adult table in the atrium and we will get in touch with you to help you get plugged in.

Kampout!

Kampout! signups are here! KampOut! is a 1-week high energy, non-stop excitement, traveling Christian day camp experience from Kanakuk for five to twelve year olds! Every KampOut! Kamper will see and hear that God is a loving Father and wonderful Creator who loves them and desires for us to love others. Kids will have a blast flying down our zipline, scaling the climbing wall, bouncing in the incredible inflatables, and laughing at hilarious crazy skits put on by staff! The cost is \$250 per student. Scholarship opportunities may be available. The dates for Kampout are June 5-9. More details are available on the 'Kampout!' link on our website under 'Resources'.

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TODAY'S MESSAGE

By Rod MacIlvaine

Easter Sunday 2017

What Jesus Does for You Today

John 20:1-8; Matthew 28:18-20; 1 Corinthians 15:58

Introduction: Ever wondered what Jesus is doing today...like right now? And what difference does that make in your life today...if any? Most of us are pretty pragmatic about life these days. Life is busy, and our time is limited. Life is complicated and our options are many. We quickly want to get to the bottom line. We ask questions like, "So, what difference does this make for me today and tomorrow?" We wonder the same about a relationship with Jesus. "If Jesus is risen then what is he doing for me now? And how should I respond?"

1. WHAT HE DID BACK THEN – Jesus equipped his disciples to live interactively in his presence.

2. WHAT HE DOES RIGHT NOW – He's doing the same thing! He's empowering you to live interactively in his presence.

➔ *Jesus does six things to empower you to live interactively in his presence.*

A. _____ . Hebrews 7:25

B. _____ . John 15:1-5

C. _____ . Matthew 6:10

D. _____ . Matthew 6:33

E. _____ . John 14:1-3

F. _____ . Luke 19:17

3. THE DIFFERENCE THIS MAKES TOMORROW – Since everything you do in this life is significant, live in his presence.

1 Corinthians 15:58

Discussion Questions

1. Which of the six things Jesus is doing do you see most prominently in your life right now?
2. Which of the six things is hardest to trust that He is doing?
3. Did you have a family member or friend visit for Easter service? If you did, what was their reaction to the message? Did it create any discussion?