



# DISCIPLE GROUP CURRICULUM CURRICULUM GUIDE

Palm Sunday - Holy Week  
April 1-4, 2021

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## LEADER NOTES

### **SAVE THE DATE Coach and Leader Gathering – Monday May 10 at All Campuses**

We get to gather together, celebrate what God is doing in our groups and grow as disciple-making disciples! If you have a new leader you are raising up, please register both yourself and them **HERE**.

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## GROUP ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **SAVE THE DATE Beach Baptism is Sunday May 16 | Baptism Classes Ongoing**

In preparation for our annual Beach Baptism event on May 16, we are hosting classes from April 1-May 16 at every campus, after every service! Visit **[coe22.com/baptism](https://coe22.com/baptism)** to learn more (*including classes for kids*).

### **Serve Day | Disciple Groups Sent Event | Saturday April 24**

Deepen your relationships with people in your disciple group while being sent on into the communities of northeast Florida. On Saturday April 24, we are calling all disciple groups to serve together and invite your family and friends to join you. Visit **[coe22.com/localoutreach](https://coe22.com/localoutreach)** to find a COVID-safe serve opportunity.

### **ONE Legacy | April 17 | 10am, both in person at our Arlington campus and online**

As we continue the journey of making God the one thing that drives all other things in our lives, we get to think about the legacy that we are leaving behind for our families. Join us for a free event hosted by Financial Planning Ministry (FPM). Learn more and register at **[coe22.com/classes](https://coe22.com/classes)**

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## **THIS WEEK'S READING PLAN: [coe22.com/readingplan](https://coe22.com/readingplan)**

Sunday – Luke 24:1-35

Monday – Isaiah 52:13-53:12

Tuesday – Psalm 22:1-22

Wednesday – Matthew 27:45-56; Luke 23:44-56

Thursday – Mark 16:1-8; John 20:1-10

Friday – Acts 1:1-20; 1 Corinthians 15:1-8

Saturday – Romans 6:4-10; Ephesians 2:1-10; 1 Peter 1:3

## RELATIONAL CONNECT & CHECK-IN:

**WHAT'S HAPPENING IN YOUR LIFE:** *(Learn about, encourage and pray for one another)*

- Did you spend time praying through the Action Step from last week and sharing with an accountability partner? What is God showing you?
  - How was your Easter? What did you do to celebrate the resurrection?
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## Holy Week – Easter

**The Point:** Are you looking for life in the temporary things of this world or have your eyes been opened to true life, only found in the resurrected Jesus Christ?

SERMON TEXTS: Luke 24:1-48

### Discussion Questions

Let's discover how God's Word is always showing us His goodness, and our great need for Him! Ask one person to read Luke 24:1-16 out loud.

## DISCOVER

**1. What stands out to you from this passage of Scripture? Is it challenging, convicting or comforting? And why?** *(Answers may vary – Leaders lean into the answers with follow up question to help your group go deeper. Challenge the group to see what this passage is telling us about God and about man.)*

**2. God chose, and privileged, several women to find the tomb empty and share the Good News of an empty tomb for the first time. What blessings/challenges did the women experience, and how do you experience the same blessings/challenges in sharing the good news?** *(Being tasked with visiting the tomb three days after the Jesus' death wouldn't have been a glamorous job. But with the hearts of servants, they arrived to find they had a greater service that day. Their obedience to a task allowed them the privilege of witnessing an empty tomb. This Good News needed to be shared, and share they did, but the news wasn't received all that well. This is the same with us. God has revealed to us the Good News and wants us to share with others out of obedience to Him. Just like these women, we're not responsible for anyone else's response.)*

**3. In verses 13-15, Jesus' followers are walking and talking when He shows up. What promise from Jesus do we see fulfilled here, and how is this reflective of how you are walking and talking with Him in life?** *(Jesus says, "for where two or three are gathered in my name, there am I among them" (Matthew 18:20). Later in the Great Commission (Matthew 28:20) Jesus' final words are, "and behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age." In the midst of chaos, confusion and trials, He promises to be with us.)*

## DEEPEN

Ask one person to read Luke 24:15-48 out loud.

**4. Where are you looking for life in the temporary things of this world?** *(Answers may vary – Leaders lean into the answers with follow up questions to help your group go deeper.)*

Leader – Reread verse 35

**5. What is your story of Jesus appearing in your life? Who have you told and who do you need to tell?** *(Answers may vary – Leaders this is a great OPPORTUNITY to invite your group to take turns sharing their testimony in future meetings. Every week you can start off with one or two people sharing.)*

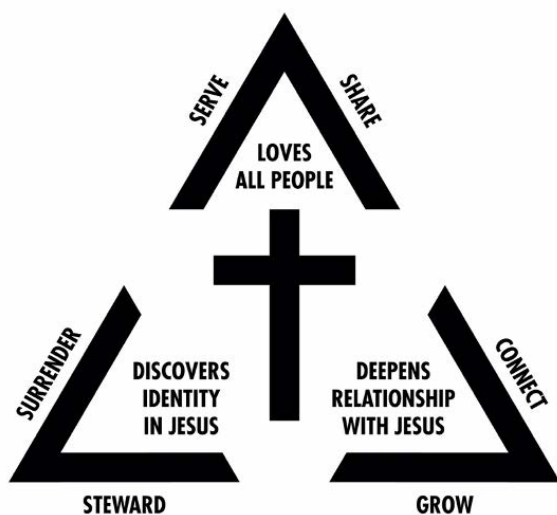
**6. Where can you see yourself in these two followers of Jesus and why?** *(Answers may vary – Leaders lean into the answers with follow up questions to help your group go deeper. Challenge the group to see what this passage is telling us about God and about man.)*

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## ACTION STEP

Use discipleship journey tool, seen below, and available on [coe22.com/resources](http://coe22.com/resources), to take a step towards Jesus this week. Use the discipleship journey tool as a guide to:

- **Discover Your Identity in Jesus through Surrender & Stewardship?**
- **Deepen Your Relationship with Jesus through Connecting & Growing?**
- **Love All People through Serving & Sharing?**



To download or print the discipleship journey tool and questions, click "HERE" next to the triangle on [coe22.com/resources](http://coe22.com/resources) or follow **this link** to download and share with others in your group.