

April 4 – Easter Sunday: Scripture: Luke 24: 13-53

Observation: Jesus opens! As Jesus walked with the two to Emmaus, they did not recognize Him. Their eyes were clouded with all the disappointing events of the past week. But when they stopped and Jesus broke the bread, their eyes were OPENED and they recognized Him. Then he OPENED the scriptures to them. And then when they returned to Jerusalem, their mouths were OPENED as they told about all they had experienced with Jesus.

Application: It is in the spending of time with Jesus, that the clouds of our circumstances can be transformed into the clarity of His wisdom and guidance. He OPENS our eyes to see His plan, His love, His acceptance, His grace, etc. and then through His Word, He OPENS our hearts to be used by Him. and then our mouths are OPENED with praise and thanksgiving!

Prayer: Father, OPEN all that I am to receive, all that You desire to give to me. I pray to SEE You more clearly and to follow You more closely. Thanks You for EVERYTHING!

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