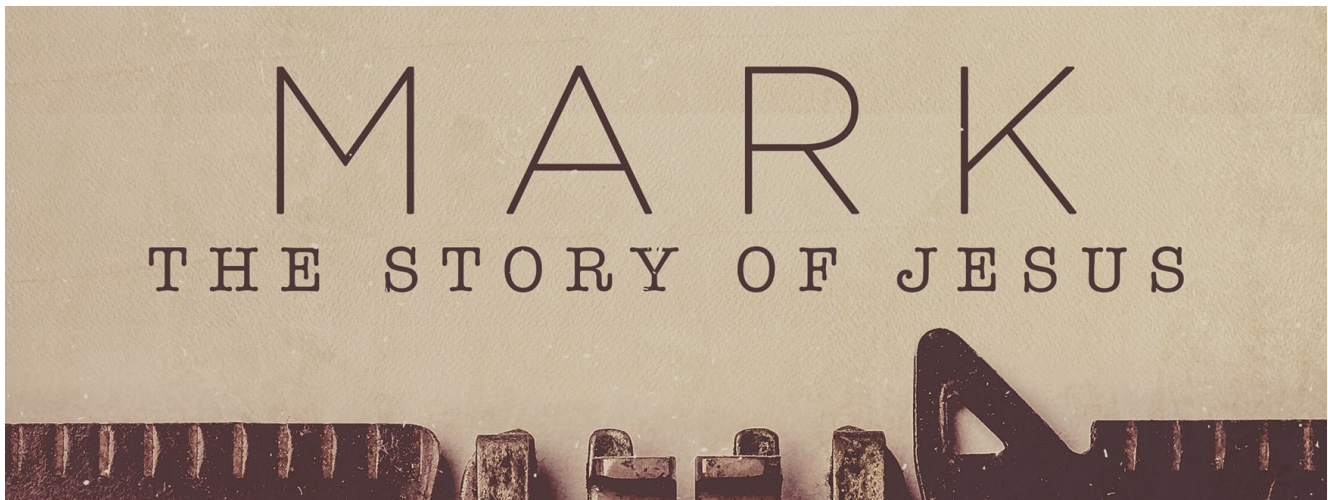


## DISCUSSION QUESTIONS



*These questions are designed to extend the impact of the Sunday message. Feel free to use them for your personal study time, your family, or your Family Group.*

### MESSAGE OVERVIEW

The central claim of Christianity is that Jesus died and came back to life. However, that claim has been understandably doubted and challenged for thousands of years.

Without a literal resurrection, Christians are the most pathetic people on the planet. But if it is true, it is the most important event in all of history.

### READ MARK 15:42-16:8

### DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

What if Jesus didn't rise from the dead? If everything except that was the same, would your faith be any different? How?

Daniel mentioned sometimes our faith feels like it's "divorced from our brains." Do you ever feel this way about your own faith?

The church functioning as Jesus intended it is a "resurrected community." What does that look like to you?

What are some of the things that might keep us from living into that resurrected identity? What sorts of things do you think help us live into it?

### APPLICATION

How do you think you will view the crucifixion differently in the future?  
In light of this, how are you going to be different in the future?