

HE IS RISEN; RISEN INDEED!

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Text: John 20

Theme: Putting your faith in the fact Christ is risen.

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**The focus of the message today can be three-fold: OT, Gospels or Epistles – all are extremely important. But I want to focus on the emphasis of the Gospels**

Gospel	theme	32 ½ years	6 months	last week
Matthew	perfect King	<b>64%</b> 1-18	36% 19-28	25% 7 (1 post)
Mark	perfect servant	63% 1-10	37% 11-16	<b>31%</b> 5 (1 post)
Luke	perfect man	42% 1-10	<b>58%</b> 11-24	21% 5 (1 post)
John	per. Son of God	43% 1-9	57% 10-21	<b>38%</b> 8 (36% 1 day)

✝ The most important thing I can tell you about Christ is not something He did while He was living, but what He did after He was dead

### **I. The resurrection – anticipated, but not expected**

The resurrection was anticipated because of the OT and the teachings of Christ, but it wasn't expected, even by His followers

**The irony of the resurrection...** The followers of Christ thought that the guards took Him and the guards thought the followers of Christ took Him (Matt 28:11-15)

### **II. The resurrection – believed, but not seen**

✝ The resurrection isn't something that you can see; it is something that you have to believe No one saw the resurrection

? Do you believe Christ is risen?