



Week 2: The Room

Do you ever wonder what happened after that first Easter morning? The gospels tell us that Jesus made himself seen to certain people after his resurrection. How? Why? Is there anything we can learn from those events?

Discussion Questions

1. Describe a place or an event that you experienced that you thought was so good, it was almost *too good to be true*.
2. Which part of this message was most impactful for you and why?
3. What did Jesus do to the disciples that he also did with the men on the road to Emmaus (**Luke 24: v.45 and v.27**)? In your own words, why do you think He did this?
4. **Read John 20:24-29.** Thomas didn't believe the other disciples when they told him that they had seen Jesus. Thomas required proof before he would believe that Jesus was alive. Is it wrong to need proof in order to believe?
5. How did you come to faith in Christ? Was it a simple process for you? Or, did you need time to think more deeply about the claims of the Bible and have some of your most important questions answered before you could believe?
6. Jesus calls the disciples "witnesses" (**Luke 24:48**). What do witnesses do? How can we better be witnesses for Jesus today?
7. There were two closing points from this message. The first had to do with doubt being a good thing as long as we don't get stuck there. – *"Doubt can lead to questions, questions lead to answers, and answers to decision. But doubt was never meant to be a permanent condition."* The second, *"You don't have to see it to believe it,"* had to do with Jesus' words in **John 20:29** ("Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed."). Of the two, which do you tend to struggle with the most? Why? How can this group help and/or be praying for you?

*"Because you have seen me, you have believed;
blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed."
~ Luke 20:29 NIV*