A SPECIAL MORNING

ENON BAPTIST CHURCH

Luke 24

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1. Perplexed Hearts, He Opens The Tomb: Vs.1-12

A. How sad it is when God's people forget His Word and live <u>defeated</u> lives. Warren Wiersbe

B. It is through the victory of the Lord Jesus that we are able to face tomorrow.

C. Doubts will attack us, but that does not mean that we are to allow them to <u>master</u> us. Martyn Lloyd Jones

D. Easter is the truth that turns a church from a museum into a ministry. Warren Wiersbe

2. Discouraged Hearts, He Opens Their Eyes: Vs. 13-35

A. These Men's hearts were discouraged. In what ways do we sometimes become discouraged? How do we handle these situations? Some turn to suicide. Some turn to drugs. Some turn to alcohol. We just need to turn to Jesus.

B. The more we <u>receive</u> the Word of God, the more we will want to <u>fellowship</u> with the God of the Word. Warren Wiersbe

C. Illustration: The pressure inside of a football is greater than all of the pressure that can be put upon it from the outside. So the power of God's <u>strength</u> within us can <u>withstand</u> whatever presses against us from without. Gene Williams

3. Troubled Hearts, He Opens Their Minds: Vs. 36-46

A. The first thing Jesus did was give them His <u>blessing;</u> "Peace be unto you." He is still speaking that today.

4. Joyful Hearts, He Opens Their Lips: Vs. 47-53

A. It has well been said, Christianity is not a new leaf, it is a new life.

B. Nothing should ever fill us with sorrow to the extent that we forget the joy of our resurrected Lord living within us. Gene Williams