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The Great Reversal Sermon Notes – April 21, 2019

The story of the Bible...

- Begins with creation and ends with _____.

- Begins with a curse and ends with the _____ of that curse.

Jesus resurrection was a _____ of things to come!

The first phase of the New Creation has already _____!

The second phase of the New Creation will be when Jesus returns; and _____ things are made new!

ELDER TO CONTACT

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REGULAR WEEKLY MINISTRIES

Life Group - Sundays at different times
Granddad's Devo - Tuesdays at 10:00 am in Room R5
Ladies Bible Class - Tuesdays at 10:00 am
The Christian and Grief - New Series TBA
Single & Parenting Class - New Session Fall 2019
DC4K - New Session Fall 2019
DivorceCare - Wednesdays 6:45 pm
Financial Peace - New Session Fall of 2019
Celebrate Recovery - Thursdays at 6:30 pm (Meal at 6:00 pm)

Robinson Avenue this week

The Day of the Resurrection

Celebrating the empty tomb throughout the year

Good morning and happy Easter! Today is a special day – churches are full of worshippers, families are gathered together, and activities and treats are in store for children. If you are a guest today we hope that you will be encouraged and inspired as you join with us in worship today and as we reflect on Jesus' resurrection.

(Acts 20:7 and I Cor. 16:2). In Revelation 1:10 this day is referred to as "the Lord's Day". What an opportunity this is! We don't just have one day a year to celebrate the Resurrection – we can celebrate it together at least 52 times! So if you are with us for the first time today we hope that you'll be back again and again.

prayer is that these thoughts and reflections from Scripture will increase your hope as well.

Again, we are so glad that you are here. If you are a first time guest or relatively new to Robinson Avenue please stick around for a while after service and give us the opportunity to get to know you. We hope to see you back very soon!

Keith Kilmer

Easter has been celebrated as an official holiday since early in the 4th century when it was decreed by the Council of Nicaea, but in actuality Christians have been celebrating Jesus' resurrection since its occurrence in the 1st century! The earliest Christians met weekly on the first day of the week to reflect on the empty tomb and its implications.

There are different ways to preach about the Resurrection. A sermon might focus on proofs of Jesus' resurrection, on the nature of the resurrection, or on details and descriptions of Jesus' resurrection. I've preached all of these angles at various times and each one is important. Due to events of the past year this Easter is more personal to me though and so today's focus is on the implications of Jesus' resurrection and the hope that it gives us. As we'll see today these implications are both cosmic and personal. My

We see several New Testament examples of Christians coming together on the first day of the week

Welcome to Worship,
APRIL 21, 2019

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

HE LIVES!

I KNOW THAT MY REDEEMER LIVES

BECAUSES HE LIVES

CALL TO WORSHIP

AT THE NAME OF JESUS

LORD I LIFT YOUR NAME ON HIGH

John 11:25-26

THE OLD RUGGED CROSS

IN COMMUNION WITH OUR LORD

COMMUNION

LORD I NEED YOU

JESUS ROSE WITH ALL POWER

MESSAGE: THE GREAT REVERSAL

LORD I NEED YOU

LET GOD ARISE!

The Bible in a Year

Daily Reading Schedule (Chronological Order)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Monday 22 Psalm 6, 8-10,14,16,19,21 | <input type="checkbox"/> Thursday 25 1 Chronicles 3-5 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tuesday 23 1 Chronicles 1-2 | <input type="checkbox"/> Friday 26 Psalm 73,77-78 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Wednesday 24 Psalm 43-45, 49, 84-85, 87 | <input type="checkbox"/> Saturday 27 1 Chronicles 6 |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Sunday 28 Psalm 92-93,88,81 |

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Adult Education
Adult Bible Classes

Sunday Morning Adult Classes: Book of James

Auditorium Class: Book of Mark

Wednesday Evening Auditorium Class: Lessons from Luke
FUEL Session: 1st & 2nd Thessalonians taught by Keith Kilmer, David O'Neill, Rodney Pless & Ron Dowdy

WPW Sessions: Join us for the Wednesday evening "Women's Power Walk". We will cover topics of prayer through Bible study and discipleship throughout spiritual warfare.

Tuesday Ladies' Bible Study: Continuing to study through the Bible with the Fulfillments of Christ in the Old Testament at 10:00 a.m. Potluck first Tuesday of every month.

Tuesday Granddads' Dev: 10:00 a.m. Open discussion, donuts,

Scholarships

Scholarships for Our College Students

Annually the elders would like to provide all of our college students with a scholarship of up to \$500 for the coming year to the college of their choosing. To do that we will need donations into a pooled college scholarship fund by May 19, 2019. If you would like to donate to that fund, please clearly indicate on your check "College Scholarship Fund" or donate on Tithely indicating "College Scholarship Fund."

If you are a student who would like to receive a scholarship made out to your college, please contact Denise Pless with your request by May 19. Since these will be "pooled" donations for all college students receiving a scholarship, the funds donated by the parents or anyone else can be tax deductible. We will be issuing a donation letter for any funds that are over \$250.00. Some Christian college Financial Aid Departments will match the church scholarship up to \$500.00.

Family
In Case of Severe Weather

In the event of severe weather events (tornado, ice, snow, etc.) coming into conflict with regularly scheduled worship times, Robinson Ave. sends out communications to its members via text message, email, and we advertise on Channel 40/29, 24/51, and 5 News. If you have not provided your contact information to the church office, please do so in order that you can be kept up-to-date!

Youth Ministry
Caleb Says...

Our website, **raveyouth.org**, has been updated. New information, monthly calendars, schedules, sign-up forms, and a lot more. Stay up to date with the latest information.

May 7: Senior Roast

May 19: Senior Sunday, Start day for youth interns

June 8-13: Uplift, sign up on our website

June 22-29: Trek, sign up on our website

July 13-19: Camp Wetoga, sign up on our website

July 28-Aug 3: Green Valley Bible Camp, sign up on our website

Good morning everyone! I am glad we are all here together today. If you are not already involved, make sure you get plugged into a small group. They're a good way to get to know a smaller group of people and to connect with the church through study, food, and friendship.

Please make sure you stay up to date on the youth groups schedule as summer gets closer and closer. As stated above, the information hub of the youth ministry is our website, but I also send out regular updates to both kids and parents via Facebook, Remind, and GroupMe apps. If you are currently involved in the youth ministry but not plugged in or if you are wanting to get involved, please come and talk to me, Caleb Tomlinson, about getting into the loop. I will be sending information that you will need to have! Thanks everyone!

This weekend was the Leadership Training for Christ Convention in Rogers. In all, Robinson Avenue had around 35 kids participate in this year's convention. They were involved in events like scripture reading, song leading, sermon delivery, puppets, drama, and especially chorus to name a few. Many of them also submitted paintings and participated in other pre-convention events. I can speak from my own experience growing up and coming to this convention that there is a lot of hard work that goes into preparing for this event. The work is well worth it. The kids at Robinson Avenue have been trained how to use their skills for Christ. Make sure you congratulate the kids who participated and also challenge them to keep using what they were taught. Events like this are designed to equip our kids to be helpful and functional Christians within the church.

We just talked a lot about the kids. Now, make sure you say thank you to all the sponsors, coaches, and other individuals who made this all happen. Especially say thank you to Amy Ware and Karey Simmons. LTC would not have happened without all of their hard work.

Family Time

SUNDAY	WEDNESDAY
9:30 AM Bible Study	7:00 PM Bible Study
10:30 AM Worship	
6:00 PM Worship	

Family
Sympathy

Brenda Waugh in the loss of her cousin Twyla Forsland. She passed away on Monday. Her funeral service was Friday in Nedesha, KS.

Family
Illness and Recovery

Jimmie Stroud fell and broke her hip a few weeks ago. She is getting around on a walker, but doing well.

Dan Hash had a heart cath on Monday. They did find blockage that could not be removed. They will try medication first, and then do a bypass if the medication does not work.

Lee Pense is in the VA Hospital for being really week and not eating very well.

Invite Someone
Welcome Class

Please invite friends or family to our next 5-week Welcome Class on Sunday mornings at 9:30 am. Keith Kilmer will teach the first session on April 28 in room G13.

Project
Auditorium Renovation Update:

Budget amount: \$625,000
Funds reserved and received; outstanding commitments received - total \$455,120 as of April 9 (73% of target). God be praised!
Budget amount remaining to be funded - \$169,880.

Construction looks like it will begin in early May. Should you have any questions, please see any of the shepherds. The shepherds' requests concerning the fundraising campaign are below:

Request #1: Pray and ask God – "what would you have me / my family financially commit towards our church's auditorium project?" (Consider a 3 year commitment)

Request #2: Following prayer and family collaboration, make a written commitment (complete the commitment package and give to one of the shepherds, the office, or place in contribution plate).

The shepherds THANK each of you for your willingness to participate and the positive comments regarding the auditorium renovation! May God be glorified and praised!

Our
Prayer List

Names will be printed on this list for up to 4 weeks at a time unless further updates are received in the office.

Family/Friends

Jon Adams, friend of Shannon Bowman
Lonnie Billington, father of Cara Ewbank
Marinela Botto, friend of Patty Dobbs
Glen Braley, friend of Tammy Ashby
Kelly Bryant, father of Caleb Bryant
Trey Cooke, son of David and Jana Cooke.
Eldon Danenhauer, the brother of Jerry Danenhauer
Lonita Graham, friend of Joann Woodward
Amy Harris - friend of Shirley Pate
Ken Holdridge, father of Rhonda Asencio
Jan Martin, mother of Amy Ware
Dustin Mayhew, son of Kevin and Kathy Mayhew
Joanne Mitchell, friend of Shirley Pate
Mary Neely, sister-in-law of Linda Neely
Judy Stallings, sister of Roger Voss

Those
Shut In

Cecil Cook
Dee Dearman
Cleo Drevs
Marie Edwards
Hazel Fletcher
Glenda Garrison
Donna Gaston
Dan Hash
Faye Lowery
Don McClane
James Price
Roberta Simpson
Verna Tacket
Elsie White
Dorothy Yeager

Continue to
Remember

Lucy Allen
Beth Clem
Harold Gooden
Faye Lowery
Lee Pense
Scott Phillips
Speedy Williams
Melba Watts
Linda Wray

Those
Battling Cancer

Mary Allen
Charles Cate
Helen Gillmore
Charlean Howell
Peggy Huckeba
Freida Hughes
Ajeanna Kernes
Robert Kernes
Mel Lowe
Seth Mohorn
Salina Wilson