



Confession and Adoration Signup

April 12, 2010

Happy Easter!

Objectives:

- 1) Quick review
- 2) Holy Saturday
- 3) Easter morning in the Synoptics
- 4) Easter morning in St. John

For Tuesday: Luke 24:13-35

Death and Burial of Jesus

- 1) Jesus dies before sundown (how did the Romans make sure?)
 - 2) Jesus is buried hastily, before sundown
 - 3) The tomb is sealed with a large stone
- 4) The women who followed Jesus watched to be sure they knew which tomb Jesus was buried in.

Holy Saturday

On the sabbath they rested according to the
commandment.

Pick a number!

Easter Morning in the Synoptics

- 1) Who goes to the tomb first? What do they all have in common?
 - 2) What time of day do they go?
 - 3) What do they find when they get there?
 - 4) What message are they given?
- 5) What is their response to what happens?

Who Goes to the Tomb First?

Mary Magdalene

"the other Mary" (the mother of James)

Salome

"the women who had followed him from Galilee"

What Do They Have in Common?

All women--no men. This is significant because women weren't allowed to testify in court. The only reason to tell the story this way (and St. John's gospel also has women only at first) is because that's what happened.

What Time of Day do They Go?

Near dawn

Very early, when the sun had risen

Early dawn

Three days in the tomb?

Not 72 hours!

Before sundown on Good Friday

All day Saturday

Some time before dawn on Sunday

What do they find?

**The stone is rolled back (or an earthquake
rolls it back)**

**A young man, or an angel, or two men in
dazzling white.**

THE TOMB IS EMPTY

What message are
they given?

Do not be afraid
He is not here
Go tell the disciples

What is their response?

Fear and great joy.

Trembling and astonishment; they were afraid
Disbelief in those they tell

Easter in St. John

As we read through, look for what matches the Synoptics and what's different.

St. John part I

Still dark

Mary Magdalene

Stone rolled away

SS. Peter and John visit

Two angels

Meeting with Jesus