

# Small Groups

## DISCUSSION GUIDE

### “DO I BELIEVE?”

PASTOR BLACKBURN – APRIL 21, 2025

#### AS THE DISCUSSION LEADER, THERE ARE A FEW THINGS TO KEEP IN MIND:

- Pray for your group discussion time!
- Choose a few questions from the guide that will generate the most discussion in your group.

#### GETTING TO KNOW ME (ICEBREAKER):

- Share about a time when something you thought was over or hopeless turned out for the good. What changed?

#### DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:

1. Have someone read Luke 24:13-53.
2. According to the message, what's the difference between doubt and unbelief?
3. How does Jesus' resurrection personally challenge or strengthen your faith?
4. Why is belief in the resurrection essential to the Christian faith? (See John 3:16)
5. The disciples said their hearts “burned within them” as Jesus opened the Scriptures. Have you ever had a moment like that—when the Bible felt personal or alive? Share.
6. How can we recognize the difference between religion and relationship?
7. What are your thoughts on the statement: “He died so that I could live”?
8. What does it mean for you personally that Jesus has prepared a place for you, like in John 14?
9. How do testimonies like Edith's inspire or challenge you in your walk with God?
10. If someone asked, “Do you believe in Easter?”, how would you respond?

#### PRAY FOR OUR MISSIONARIES:

- Zach & Danika M. (Callan, Cadia, and Jurnie) – *Eurasia*
- Sam & Stephanie Maddux (Milania, Eliana, and Isabella) – *Thailand*

#### UPCOMING EVENTS:

Join a Wednesday night class, support group, or prayer group! Visit [victorylakeland.org](http://victorylakeland.org) to find a class just for you.

**Monday, April 21, 6:30 PM** – Annual church business meeting in the North Campus sanctuary.