



"WHO WILL ROLL AWAY THE STONE?"

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Tell someone about the next step you took today in your spiritual journey! Let us know, too, and fill out our connect card (digital* or hard copy). *[MYRC.LINK/CONNECT](https://myrc.link/connect) or text **riverside** to **94000**



SMALL GROUP
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Your group matters.

DISCUSSION GUIDE

- Icebreaker -

*What is your favorite Easter tradition,
past or present?*

1. Which one of the stories resonated most with you in the Easter service and why?
2. Pastor Tom indicated that God didn't roll the stone away to let Jesus out, but that Jesus rolled it away to let people in. Why do you think it was necessary for Jesus' disciples not only to see the Risen Christ, but also to experience the empty tomb? What significance does the empty tomb hold for you today?
3. Pastor Tom said that Jesus is still rolling the stone away from the empty tomb today. If you have said 'YES!' to Jesus, what was the "stone-rolling" moment when you finally saw clearly that Christ's tomb is empty and how did you respond?
4. Since Christ-followers are often the hands and feet of Jesus to others, Jesus may use you to help roll the stone away for someone else on their journey to Jesus. Tell of a time you were Christ's "stone-roller" and what was it like to be there when someone else experienced the empty tomb of Jesus for themselves?
5. Is there still a stone blocking your way to the Risen Jesus? You can ask Jesus to roll it away right now so you can see for yourself that He is risen from the dead and wants to raise you to new life in Him today. Will you say 'YES!' to the Risen One today?

Day One: John 2; Psalm 70

Day Four: 1 Thessalonians 5; Jeremiah 4

Day Two: Exodus 20; Proverbs 8

Day Five: Job 8; Acts 14

Day Three: Hebrews 5; 1 Samuel 21

PERSONAL GUIDE

This Personal Guide has been adapted from Professor Grant Horner's Bible Reading System.