



## Message Devotional, Discussion Questions & Prayer

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**MESSAGE:** I Can See (Easter)

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**COMMUNICATOR:** Pastor Kevin Geer

**CHECK-IN & SHARE WINS:** What was one highlight from your week? Where have you seen Jesus at work—in your life or in the world around you? *Celebrating wins helps propel God's mission forward and inspire others to join in.*

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**THINK, DISCUSS, LIVE:** These questions are great for personal reflection, group discussion, or both. They're meant to help you grow in your faith, deepen your connection with your Jesus friends, and live it out in the world around you.

1. Share one of your favorite Easter memories. What made it meaningful or memorable to you?
  2. In 1 Corinthians 15:14, it says our faith is useless if Jesus didn't rise—why do you think the resurrection is so central to our faith?
  3. Which part of the resurrection story gives you the most hope right now—defeating death, forgiveness, or future restoration? Why?
  4. The two followers in Luke 24 didn't recognize Jesus at first. Why do you think we sometimes miss what God is doing right in front of us? Can you provide an example from your own life?
  5. When have you experienced something like "spiritual blindness"—a time when you couldn't see clearly but later realized God was at work?
  6. In Genesis 3, people's eyes were opened to sin and shame. How do you see that same pattern (hiding, shame, doing things our own way) show up in life today?
  7. Jesus "opened their eyes" in Luke 24:30. What do you think it looks like for God to open someone's eyes today?
  8. The resurrection is a "divine reversal"—God stepping in to turn hopeless situations into hope, weakness into strength, and defeat into victory. Where have you experienced that in your life? Where do you need Jesus to bring resurrection or new life right now?
  9. In 2 Corinthians 5:17, we're told we are made new in Christ. In what ways do you see your life becoming more like Jesus and less like your old self?
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### WHAT IS THE LORD UP TO?

Take a moment to quietly reflect on these questions, then share what God is teaching you.

- **Experiencing the Father:** Where have you recently seen or felt the Father's love in your life? *Recently, I've experienced the Father's love and kindness toward me through...*
  - **Following Jesus:** Where is Jesus shaping your character or inviting you to trust Him more right now? *Right now Jesus is growing me, gently inviting me to become more like Him in...*
  - **Walking in the Spirit:** What has the Holy Spirit recently revealed to you through Scripture? *During my time in the Word, the Holy Spirit revealed this to me...*
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### THE NEW CANVAS BIBLE READING PLAN IS UP AND RUNNING

- Read through the New Testament until the end of the year – 5 days a week, Find it on the **Canvas Church app** ("*Bible Reading Plan*"). Listening option available.
  - **Read it. Think about it. Live it out.**
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**PRAYER OPTIONS:** Practice praying out loud to grow your faith—even if it feels uncomfortable. Try it with people you trust and feel safe with.

- **Prayer Partnership:** What's on your heart that we can partner with you and bring it to the Lord?
  - **Read and put into practice James 5:13-16.** Pray for the sick, praise Him for everything, confess your sins, pray for physical, spiritual and emotional healing.
  - **1 & 1:** One thing to celebrate, one thing to bring to God.
  - **Praise Sentences:** Short prayers thanking God, then pray for shared needs.
  - **Prayer Clusters:** Groups of 2-3, share requests, pray together, and encourage each other during the week.
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### WHAT SERVE TEAM ARE YOU ON?

One of the best ways to get connected, meet new people, and grow in your faith is to serve others. There are many ministry areas to choose from—or help create a new serving opportunity. To explore the possibilities go to [canvas.church/serve](https://canvas.church/serve) If you're already serving on a team and looking for a new challenge, connect with your ministry team lead to explore your next step.