

# Sunday Morning

April 5, 2015

## EASTER UNLOCKED

### EPHESIANS 1:20 (LB)

#### Two reasons for Easter worship:

#### I. WHAT THE RESURRECTION OF JESUS CHRIST MEANS

1. Two and a half billion worldwide worship Him as God (John 14:6, LB).

**INSIGHT:** The overriding proof Jesus' claims are true is His resurrection.

2. I can trust what He said (Mark 10:34; John 10:17; Matthew 28:5-6).

#### II. WHY THE RESURRECTION MATTERS

1. Your past can be forgiven.

**INSIGHT:** All of us have regrets and guilt to deal with.

**INSIGHT:** If you are held by the garbage of past mistakes, there is hope (Isaiah 53:5; Colossians 2:14, LB).

**INSIGHT:** The Cross of Christ is God's pardon program.

2. Your problems can be managed.

**INSIGHT:** Maturity is when you figure out you can't have it all figured out.

**INSIGHT:** We were never meant to live this life on our own ability... God always planned on being our supply (Philippians 4:13).

3. Heaven can be assured.

**INSIGHT:** Everyone has a deep longing to know what's gonna happen when they breathe their last breath (John 17:3, LB).