RESURRECTION IN A WORLD OF 1000 CUTS APRIL-JUNE 2024 and a

WEEK SEVE

COVER ART Take Away the Stone by John August Swanson (1993)

What is the resurrection? What does it mean for us TODAY?

This spring, we'll be thinking about what it means to live as people of the Resurrection in perplexing times. When we often feel the inexorable and painful slide toward destruction and death, what does it mean to lean in to God's desire for resurrection and transformation? How can resurrection living give us courage to live boldly?

We will be trying a new way for us to do Bible Study together. We'll take up each week's text AFTER Pastor Debra preaches on the same text. Each week in the bulletin there will be a flyer with space for notes and questions. Bring this to the study or use it to start a conversation at home.

IN WORSHIP MAY 19, 2024 **SAYING NO TO DEATH** John 11:17-27; 38-44

SERMON NOTES

Things to notice:

- What "aha" moment(s) did I have?
- What questions does this make me ask?
- How can I apply this to my life right now?

BIBLE STUDY NOTES (discussion 5/23 @10AM)

Things to consider:

- We often think of Pentecost as God's "Yes" to the church. What is God saying "No" to in that Pentecost moment?
- How is resurrection made real beyond the obvious (Lazarus rising from the dead)?
- Where does new life (physical, spiritual, emotional) show up in you?

BIBLE STUDY W/PASTOR DEBRA

Thursdays at 10AM United Presbyterian Church 2400 W Northmoor, Peoria In person and on Zoom

Resurrection Living in a World of Death by 1000 Cuts

Schedule

- April 11 Where is Jesus? (Mark 16)
- April 18 What is Even Happening (John 20:19-31)
- April 25 Jesus In Front of Us (Luke 24:36b-48)
- May 2 Resurrection Intimacy (John 10:11-18)
- May 9 All You Need is Love (John 15:9-17)
- May 16 Resurrecting the Living (Mark 5:17-43)
- May 23 Saying No to Death (John 11:17-27; 38-44)
- June 13 Embodiment (2 Corinthians 4)
- June 20 Why Resurrection? (Revelation 22:1-7)



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