

Notes:

Sermon Text

Subject

Enter to Worship.
Before worship speak to God. During worship let God speak to you.
After worship speak to one another.
Depart to Serve.

[After the resurrection] It was henceforth with a risen Master that the disciples had to do. It was a risen Christ who was their companion on the way to Emmaus; it was a risen Christ who entered the upper chamber with “Peace be to you” on His lips; it was a risen Christ who appeared to five hundred brethren at once; it was a risen Christ that saluted them by the sea of Galilee, and prepared for them their morning meal on the fire of coals; it was a risen Christ with whom they companied during the forty days when He went out and in among them.

And it is now with a risen Christ that we have to do in the pathways of our daily pilgrimage. At every turn of the way, resurrection meets us in the person of the Lord Jesus, and says to us, “Because I live, ye shall live also.” For the life that is in Him is resurrection-life.

—Horatius Bonar



Spiritual “To Do List”
(things God has shown me today)

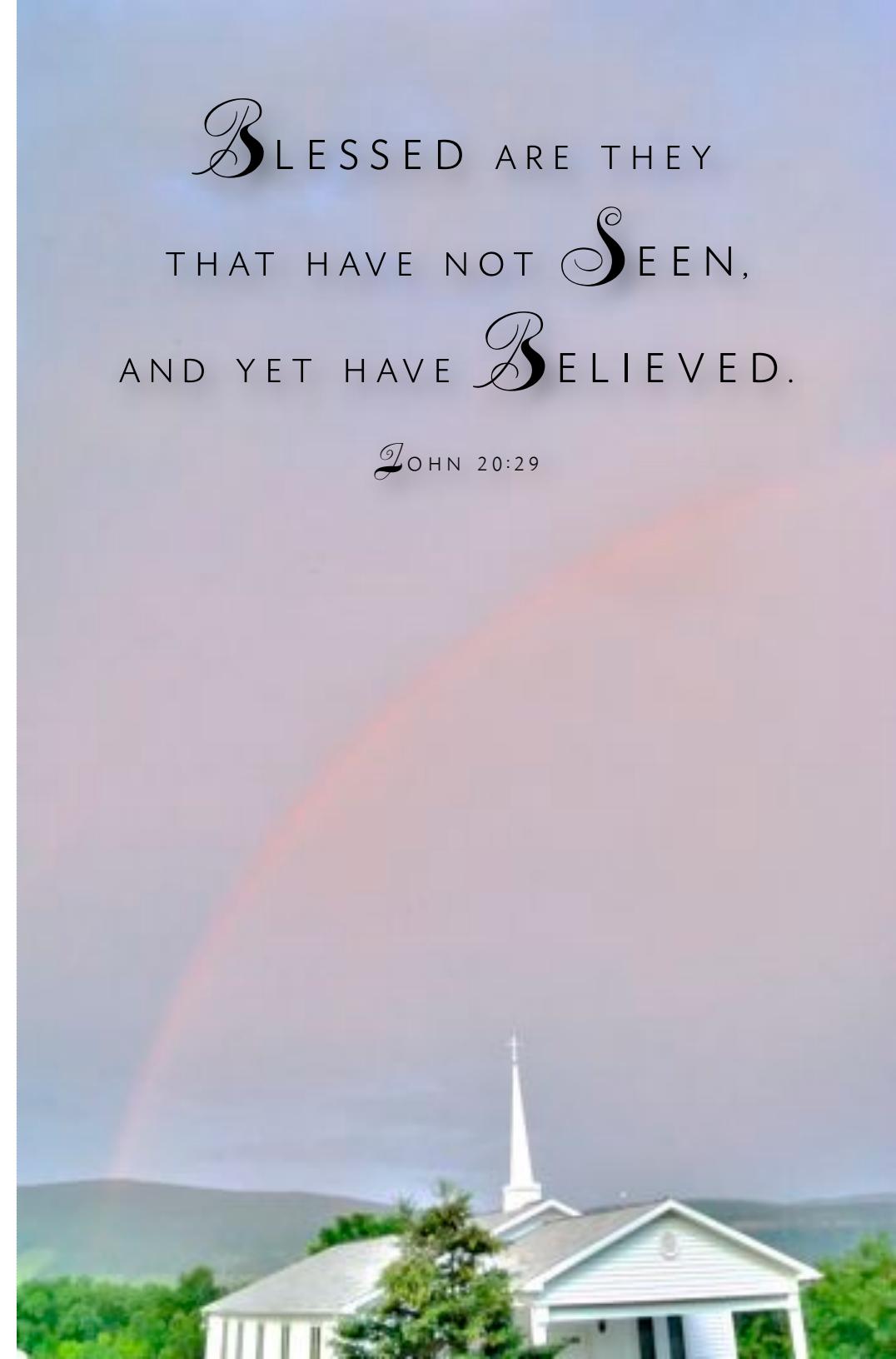
Socrates mastered the *art of dying*; Christ overcame death as “the last enemy” (I Corinthians 15:26). There is a real difference between the two things; the one is within the scope of human possibilities , the other means resurrection. It’s not from the art of dying, but from the resurrection of Christ, that a new and purifying wind can blow through our present world. *Here* is the answer to “Give me a place to stand and I will move the earth.”(Archimedes) If a few people really believed that and acted on it in their daily lives, a great deal would be changed. To live in the light of the resurrection - that is what Easter means.

—Dietrich Bonhoeffer, *Letters and Papers from Prison* (p. 240). Touchstone. Kindle Edition.

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BLESSED ARE THEY
THAT HAVE NOT SEEN,
AND YET HAVE BELIEVED.

JOHN 20:29



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The triumph of the resurrection remains! With warm hearts before God and loving hands toward one another, let us worship joyfully together. Welcome!

Call to Worship

As Jesus said to his disciples when He appeared to them after His resurrection, so I say to you, "Peace be with you."

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ!

By his great mercy he has given us a new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead,

**And into an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading,
kept in heaven for us;**

We are being protected by the power of God through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time.

In this we rejoice, even if now for a little while we have had to suffer various trials,

So that the genuineness of our faith, which is more precious than gold that is tested by fire, may be found to result in praise and glory and honor when Jesus Christ is revealed.

Although we have not seen him, we love him; and even though we do not see him now, we believe in him and rejoice with an indescribable and glorious joy,

For we are receiving the outcome of our faith, the salvation of our souls.

Therefore we will rejoice together and worship the Christ that lives and reigns in our hearts.

—I Peter 1:3-9

Announcements

- We will have the **pastoral vote** at the close of Sunday School this morning.
- **April 28** - 10:00 a.m. - Board Meeting
- **May 1** - National Day of Prayer
- **May 6** - 7:00 p.m. - Village Church Series starts - first meeting at the Middleburgh Reformed Church
- **May 9** - 7:30 p.m. - Zone Rally at Rockwood; the speaker is Jerry Lambeth.
- **May 10** - 10:00 a.m. - Church Cleaning Day
- **May 11** - Mother's Day
- **May 12-16** - Work Week at Victory Grove Camp
- **May 13** - Village Church Series at Our Lady of the Valley.

SERVICES — SUNDAY: Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Cobleskill 4:00 p.m. Evening 7:00 p.m. — WEDNESDAY: Midweek Service 7:00 p.m.
— FRIDAY: Women's Fellowship 10:30 a.m.

May the power that raised Christ from the dead raise us from spiritual lethargy and fill us with the intentional desire to be God's faithful servants.

Prayer Requests

- This week we are praying specifically for our sister church at **Twin Rocks, Pennsylvania**. This is one of the churches supported by the Church Extension Fund. Asa Sherman is the pastor.
- **Revival** in our church and community.
- **Christians** and Jews in danger in Ukraine.
- **Continue** to pray for:
 - Special requests for those on our hearts, especially Mary and Shawn.
 - The village of **Middleburgh**, that we will reach people with hungry hearts and have fruitful results in our ministry.
 - Missionaries and Mission leaders: the Blackcalfs, B. Fay, Pasteur Duvoçois, C. Hostetler, L. Hunter, the Kisers, the Kurtenses, the Mayles, the Millses, R. Moulton, the Musser, the D. Shermans, the J. Shermans; and the Himelicks and others at VICM.
 - Our **young people** - schoolwork, jobs, and life decisions
 - Bible Colleges - GBS, PVBI, AWC, UBC, HSBC
 - Our armed services personnel.
 - Our President, Congress, and Supreme Court, that they may make righteous choices.
- **Pray** for these physical need requests:
 - Richard R., Mark Vosburgh, Kathy M., Regina Ford, Inga, Doug Canfield, G. Bartholomew, Chris Polack, Jim Marquit, Charles & Thelma Heckman, B. & H. Komornick, Robert Owens, D. Durfee, Sandy Griesemer and mother, Mike Fuller, Duane and Dorothea Maxey.

Please let us know of anyone who is ill, facing a time of hospitalization, or would like a home visit.

Suggested Daily Scripture Reading

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
OT	Judges 7:1-8:17	Judges 8:18-9:21	Judges 9:22-10:18	Judges 11:1-12:15
NT	Luke 23:13-43	Luke 23:44-24:12	Luke 24:13-53	John 1:1-28
PSA	Psalm 97:1-98:9	Psalm 99:1-9	Psalm 100:1-5	Psalm 101:1-8
PROV	Proverbs 27	Proverbs 28	Proverbs 29	Proverbs 30

Thursday

Judges 13:1-14:20
John 1:29-51
Psalm 102:1-28
Proverbs 1

Friday

Judges 15:1-16:31
John 2:1-25
Psalm 103:1-22
Proverbs 2

Saturday

Judges 17:1-18:31
John 3:1-21
Psalm 104:1-23
Proverbs 3

Sunday

Judges 19:1-20:48
John 3:22-4:3
Psalm 104:24-35
Proverbs 4

Notes:

Other announcements
& prayer requests