



April 18, 2021

Luke 24.36b-48

Use this resource at home to guide your household's daily devotions.



Pray: Light a candle. Open your devotion with prayer.

Risen Lord, your closest friends and followers were witnesses to all that you said and did in this life. Make us inheritors of their legacy of faith, that we too might spread with joy the news of your resurrection gospel. Amen.



Read: Read the key verse from Sunday's reading.

Then he opened their minds to understand the scriptures. (Luke 24:45)



Reflect: Reflect on the scripture summary.

After Jesus' resurrection, the disciples were shocked and delighted to see Jesus again. Although they didn't know how long they'd have him, they could enjoy his presence in the moment.



Connect: Connect in conversation with others in your household or community.

What was a high point of your day? What was a low point?

Do you have a hard time or an easy time living in the moment?

What do you get out of living in the past, future, or present?

For the littles: What's awesome about this moment right now?



Bless: Close your devotion with a blessing.

May God make you present here and now. Amen.



Do: By acting on what we learn, we make God's word come alive. Do the following activity this week.

Reach out to a friend or family member that you may take for granted. Spend intentional time with them and appreciate being with them (even if by phone or video chat) in the moment.



Go Deeper: Go to bit.ly/daily-devotions-rcl for the daily readings!

Monday, Psalm 150; Jeremiah 30:1-11a; 1 John 3:10-16

Tuesday, Psalm 150; Hosea 5:15-6:6; 2 John 1:1-6

Wednesday, Psalm 150; Proverbs 9:1-6; Mark 16:9-18

Thursday, Psalm 23; Genesis 30:25-43; Acts 3:17-26

Friday, Psalm 23; Genesis 46:28-47:6; Acts 4:1-4

Saturday, Psalm 23; Genesis 48:8-19; Mark 6:30-34