

Lesson No. (33)

Jesus Comes to Life Again

References

Matthew 28:1-10.

Notes for Servants

- ★ Our Master, Jesus Christ, arose from the dead by Himself. He did not need the Angel to remove the stone from the door of the tomb. The Angel came only to make the announcement.
- ★ Jesus arose from the dead with the stone at the door of the tomb, which indicates to us His unlimited power. Therefore, we have to recognize that behind the Cross there is the glory of the Resurrection, which is a source of great joy for us.
- ★ Every Sunday, it is a celebration in memory of the Resurrection of our Saviour, Jesus Christ, from the dead.

Objectives

General: The Joy of Resurrection.

Specific:

The children will be able to ...

- A. Say what we remember on Easter Sunday.
- B. Explain what happened to Jesus after He died.
- C. Express their joy that Jesus is alive.

Bible Verse

“He is not here: for he is risen”

(Matthew 28:6)

Teaching Aids

The picture of Palm Sunday, Crucifixion and Resurrection.

Introduction

- (1) Review last week's lesson.
- (2) Remind the children about the church occasions for the coming week.
- (3) Teacher should prepare the appropriate questions to emphasize the objectives during the lesson.

Story Time

Soldiers and angry people who hated Jesus took him to the top of a hill. They put Jesus on a cross where He died.

Many people still loved Jesus. One of them was a man who took Jesus' body down from the cross. This man put clean cloth around Jesus' body and placed it in a tomb. The tomb was like a cave in the rocks. Then a big, big rock was put in front of the tomb. No one could get in or get out.

Three days later, two women went to visit the tomb. While they were there, something frightening happened. The earth shook and an Angel rolled the big rock away from the tomb. "There is no need for you to be afraid," the Angel said to the women. "I know you are looking for Jesus, but He is not here. He has risen from the dead as He said He would. Come and see that He is gone. Then, go quickly and tell the Apostles."

How happy and surprised the women were! They looked in the tomb and saw that Jesus was gone. Then, they left. On their way to see the Apostles, the women met Jesus. "Don't be afraid," Jesus said to them. "Go and tell the Apostles I will meet them."

Later, Jesus did meet the Apostles and He told them, "I will always be with you." What good news. Yes, Jesus did die, but God gave Him a new life. Jesus lived again among His followers.

Discussion

- 1 - Follow up the story by talking about it with the children.
- 2 - Continue the discussion while they do their activity.

Learning Activities

Colouring Page.