

## Easter

### Luke 24:1-12

The events of Holy Week caused a lot of confusion. The followers of Jesus didn't expect Jesus would die. He was supposed to be their king. When they buried Jesus in a tomb, even his closest friends thought it was over. One week after he rode into Jerusalem like a king, the women came to the tomb to prepare his body for burial. But the tomb was empty. Two angels appeared and asked them why they looked for the living among the dead. Jesus had risen just as he had told them he would. Slowly their mourning turned to praise, and they began to understand Jesus' words.

### Verse of the Month

"Hosanna! Blessings on the one who comes in the name of the Lord!" Mark 11:9

## What Do You Think?

What would you have thought if you had found the tomb empty?

How do you celebrate the Resurrection?

### Family Activity

Talk about Jesus' resurrection as a family. Why is it important to you today?

Which character in this story would you have wanted to be? Why?

Who do you share good news with?

### Prayer

Dear God, help us feel the same excitement the women felt at the empty tomb. Show us how to share with others that Jesus is alive; in Jesus' name, we pray. Amen.

