

For the week of April 21, 2019

Preacher: Paul Taylor

Surprised and Scared

Final week in the series: *Bridges and Barriers*

Mark 16:1-8

On Easter morning, we follow the path of three women going to the tomb of Jesus to honor his death. They each come with their own stories. Each is looking for something. All of them discover an unexpected message and an impossible mission. They end up surprised and scared. Will their story be our story? What will happen next for them and for us?

Discussion Questions:

1. How well do you resonate with Mary of Magdala with her hidden pain?
2. How well do you resonate with Mary, the mother of the Lesser, with a hidden heart?
3. How well do you resonate with Salome, the mother of thunder, with a hidden agenda?
4. What does the resurrection of Jesus mean to you? What could it mean?
5. How do you respond to the incredible mission that these women were the first to receive?