

## Kid's Message Page April 23, 2023

**Story:** Luke 24:13-35

**Wonder:** We are *still* on Easter Day in our Bible stories in church. There was so much excitement with Jesus coming back—rising from the dead. We get a lot of stories of Jesus coming back to people—stories they shared because they were so excited that Jesus was back.

Today in our story, we are going to find out that some of Jesus' followers who were so sad about Jesus' death are met by Jesus. The catch? They don't realize it's him. How is that possible? Well, if you think about it, when you are mourning someone who has died—you wouldn't expect to see them. They were so sad—the disciples couldn't see the bigger picture.

Jesus didn't change—but the rules changed in Jesus—and in the big picture God is always with us still, even if we can't see Jesus as clearly as a person. We know God is with us in God's Word, in God's children—so all of you and everyone here, in nature, etc.

**Do:** On the next page there is a spot the difference. Can you find all 8? When you're done you can color both pictures. Color them in very different ways and remember that God is always showing up for us—even though sometimes it doesn't quite look like we're expecting!

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Spot 8 differences between the two pictures.

