

Scripture Text

1 Corinthians 15:1-34

Connect

What is one piece of advice that you were told as a child that you have never forgotten?

What stood out to you most in the last three sermons on Killin' It: Religion, Pride and Approval? Was there anything that you changed in how you think or what you do because them? What was it and has that change made a difference?

Engage

Read 1 Corinthians 15:1-4

If someone asked you to define and explain the Gospel what would you answer them? What are the main points? What verses (from anywhere in the Bible) would you use to explain it?

When did you first hear about the Gospel? Tell about that experience. How has it made a difference in your life?

How would you explain the importance of the resurrection to a non-Christian?

Why do you think Paul went into such detail listing who saw Jesus after he was resurrected?

Read 1 Corinthians 15:12-34

How prevalent today is the philosophy Paul quotes in verse 32: "Let us eat and drink, for tomorrow we die"? Give an example.

What false teaching was spreading among the Corinthians (v.12)?

From this passage, what does Paul say would be the consequences if there were no resurrection of the dead?

Paul puts the resurrection in perspective with the Second Coming and the end of time. How does it make you feel that in the end Christ will be victorious? How can this resurrection hope enable you to withstand evil and pain in your life?

Apply

What arguments have you found helpful in showing unbelieving friends that Christ did rise from the dead?

Make a list together of people you would like to see accept Christ. Pray together for them and for God to give you opportunities to both share the Gospel and to invite them to church.