

Sunday Morning
High School Interactive
3/22/20

-Scripture passages used are taken from the NIV

-Pastor Eric briefly touched on Jesus' resurrection

-Read 1 Peter 1:3 and fill in the blanks: " _____ be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In his great _____ he has given us new birth into a living _____ through the _____ of Jesus Christ from the dead,"

-In this verse, we see that Peter is very joyful and grateful for God's redeeming plan for us

-What emotions come to you when you think of God's plan of salvation for us, Jesus' obedience in carrying out His role in the plan, and the invitation available to us to receive it?

-Pastor Eric talked about Jesus being at the Father's right hand

-He suggested we do a word study on the phrase "right hand"

-The following are a few of the many passages that include the words "right hand"

-Read Luke 6:5-11

-What did Jesus do for the right hand of the man in this passage?

-Read Matthew 27:27-31

-What did the soldiers put in Jesus's right hand when they were mocking him?

-Write out Isaiah 41:13. It seems particularly timely for our circumstance right now.

-One reason that Pastor Eric gave for Jesus' ascension into heaven is so the Holy Spirit would come to all believers in a permanent way, instead of just to particular people, at a particular time, for a particular purpose

-Read John 16:7

-This is Jesus talking in this verse. Here the word Advocate is referring to the Holy Spirit.

-In this verse we see that Jesus told his disciples that he had to _____ in order for the Advocate to _____

-Read Ephesians 1:13 and fill in the blanks "And you also were included in _____. When you heard the message of truth, the gospel of your _____. When you _____, you were marked in him with a _____, the promised _____,"

-The seal of the Holy Spirit is a permanent gift to believers

-Pastor Eric talked about justification and sanctification

-Justification is the fact that we are made right with God forever when we choose to receive Jesus as our Savior

-Read Romans 3:22-24

-From these verses we see that all believers, no matter their ethnic background, are justified freely by God's _____

-Sanctification is the ongoing process of becoming the kind of person that God wants us to be. This process is not complete until we reach heaven.

-Read Romans 12:2

-From this verse we see that the _____ of our minds is important.

-Pastor Eric talked about faithful waiting and fruitful witnessing

-We are not meant to passively wait until we enter heaven; we are meant to live out our faith right now

-Read Matthew 28:19-20 and fill in the blanks: "Therefore _____ and make _____ of all _____, baptizing them in the

name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, ²⁰ and _____
them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you _____,
to the very end of the age.”

-Jesus promises to be with us at all times through his Holy Spirit; and He is delighted when we choose to live out our calling

-These verses from Matthew 28, often called The Great Commission, serve as a good tool to show us our general calling as Christians. God has specific things for each of us to do, as well.

-Read Ephesians 2:10

-From this verse, what do we learn that God has prepared for us in advance?

-What do you think might be something that God is calling you to do right now?

-What do you think might be something that God is calling you to do in 5 or 10 years from now?
