



# *He Was Raised*

## Interactive Outline

Sunday, 10:30 a.m.

December 29, 2013

Scripture Reading: Matthew 28:1-7

Speaker: Adam Pogue

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### **1) Why Believe In The Resurrection?**

#### **A. The Gospel Writers Themselves:**

- 1) Apostles Matthew & John were eyewitness:
  - a. First appearance (Luke 24:33-36)
  - b. 8 days after (John 20:26-29)
  - c. Great Commission (Matthew 28:16-20)
  - d. Ascension (Acts 1:9)
- 2) Mark & Luke were instructed by eyewitnesses:
  - a. Mark was a traveling companion of Paul (Acts 12:25; 15:36-40). Also seen as a “spiritual” son of Peter (1 Peter 5:13)
  - b. Luke repeats facts (Luke 1:1-4)

#### **B. Other Eyewitness Accounts (1 Corinthians 15:5-8):**

- 1) Cephas (Peter)
- 2) “The twelve”
- 3) “500 brethren”
- 4) James
- 5) “All the apostles”
- 6) Paul

Notes:

### **2) If Christ Is Not Risen, Then...**

- A. Our Preaching Is In Vain** (v.14)
- B. Your Faith Is In Vain** (v. 14) (1 Peter 1:3)
- C. We Are All False Witnesses Of God** (v.15) (Acts 2:24)
- D. You Are Still In Your Sins** (v.17) (Romans 4:25)
- E. Those Who Have Fallen Asleep In Christ Have Perished** (v.18) (1 Thessalonians 4:13-14)
- F. We Are Of All Men The Most Pitied** (v.19)

Notes:

1 Corinthians 15:57-58; Acts 17:30-31; Mark 16:16