A Word of Victory!

Matthew 28:1–7

Bro. Steve Gaines

   A. Jesus does not give peace to this earth. Matt. 10:34–36; Luke 2:14
   B. Jesus gives peace to His people through salvation. Rom. 5:1
   C. Jesus gives peace to His people after salvation. John. 14:27; 16:33; Phil. 4:6–7

2. A word of power. Matt. 28:6a
   Jesus’ resurrection was...
   A. Powerfully predicted. Is. 53:7–12; Matt. 16:21
   B. Powerfully performed. Rom. 1:3–4
   C. Powerfully precise.
      • Jesus was raised bodily. John 20:27–28
      • Jesus was raised permanently. Rev. 1:17–18a
      • Jesus was raised victoriously. Rev. 1:18b

3. A word of proof. Matt. 28:6b
   A. Man’s attempts to dismiss the resurrection:
      • The women went to the wrong tomb.
      • The disciples experienced hallucinations.
      • Jesus’ body was “replaced.”
      • Jesus’ body was stolen.
      • Jesus didn’t die; He “swooned.”
   B. Evidence to support the resurrection:
      • The empty tomb.
      • The angelic announcement.
      • The Jewish plot.
      • The resurrected Lord.
      • The Gospel’s success.

4. A word to proclaim. Matt. 28:7
   Matt. 28:18–20; Acts 1:8
4th+5th Grade Students Present Camp Rescue 9-1-1
Sunday, May 3 | 6:00 p.m.
Bellevue Appling Worship Center

Middle School Camp (6th–8th grades)
May 27–31
Early Bird registration is $300 through April 26.

CampOutrageous—Journey Off the Map
Monday–Friday, June 8–12
Bellevue Appling
Ages four years old through those who have completed 5th grade

Beach Week 2015 (9th–12th grades)
June 22–26
Early Bird registration is $325 through April 26.

Great American Family Picnic
Sunday, June 28
Bellevue Appling Soccer Fields | Free

Jerusalem Project (6th–12th grades)
July 5–10
$100 per person
Registration begins April 19.

4th+5th Grade Summer Camp
July 6–10
Super Early Bird registration is $260 through May 10.

Student Music Missions Project (6th–12th grades)
July 18–26
Poughkeepsie, New York
$475 per person
Register now through June 1.