

The GOSPEL of MARK

Our Call to Discipleship

Kingdom Inauguration: Appeared to His Disciples

Mark 16:9-20

PASTOR'S PRAYER

Almighty God, Father in heaven, you are altogether true. There is no hint of deceit or guile in who you are or what you say. You are life and give life eternal to all who turn to Jesus by faith. Oh how good it is to rest in your truth and live with fullness in the life you give. Bless us this morning, LORD, as we look together at your Word this morning. Convict the sinner. Comfort the sorrowful. Give courage to the shrinking. And call us all to live confident in the authority and grace you lavish to all who call upon your name. Grant us your Spirit this morning LORD that we might see and hear your Words in the name of Jesus Christ our Savior and King. Amen & Amen

OUTLINE

1. The Bible's Veracity ~ the Bible's God-breathed authority confirms the foundation of our faith.
2. Christ's Appearances ~ Christ's post-resurrection appearances confirm the authority of our mission.

Central Textual Truth

Jesus Christ appeared to confirm His authority & call.

Central Sermon Aim

I want SGBC to confirm Jesus' authority & call on our lives.