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THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

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Share your highs and lows, or respond to the following:

- 1. Who do you turn to when you are feeling sad?
- 2. Have you experienced Jesus alongside you when times have been difficult?



BIBLE READINGS

Read the following Bible readings throughout this week. Talk about what words or phrases stand out for you.

1st reading

2nd reading

Psalm 116:1-4, 12-19

Love the Lord

1 Peter 1:17-23
Love one another

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Gospel reading

Luke 24:13-35

On the road to Emmaus

DISCUSS

The two men walking to Emmaus were feeling sad. What turned their sadness into joy?



ACTION RESPONSE

Jesus came alongside two of his followers in their sorrow and brought them joy. Plan a visit to someone in your congregation or community who would appreciate some company. If they are able, you could go for a walk together.



Lord Jesus, you are the living word of God, speak to us and make us new.

Amen.



Come and stay with us, Lord Jesus. Be with us as we eat, share and serve. Amen.



BLESSING

May the Lord walk with you today and always.

WHAT CAN I GIVE TO THE LORD FOR ALL THE GOOD THINGS HE HAS GIVEN TO ME? I WILL GIVE YOU AN OFFERING TO SHOW THANKS TO YOU, AND I WILL PRAY TO THE LORD.

PSALM 116:12, 17

