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NEED TO KNOW!

1. Grace is here for our community. Check out the new web page to see what we are doing and how you can help. GraceFellowshipMN.org/Help
2. Easter Fun for the whole Family. Check out the Easter Photo Scavenger Hunt. Submit your photos this weekend. Pick up prizes and candy next week. Details online.
3. Looking for a way to connect with others? Grace Groups continue to meet online for encouragement & friendship. Fill out the Groups Form on the website and Pastor Monti be in touch.

TAKE NOTES

We have an enemy that holds us for ransom.
Satan comes to steal, kill and destroy. John 10:10

God knows how we feel because we are his children and we are all held captive by sin.
Jesus said, "Very truly I tell you, everyone who sins is a slave to sin."
John 8:34

Where do we turn for help?
I come to bring life that you may live it to the full. John 10:10

The mission of Jesus is to set the captives free.
He has sent me to proclaim that captives will be released.
Luke 4:18 NLT

What is God's plan to rescue us from sin?

Trust God to save us.
It is better to trust God than it is to trust man. Psalm 118:8

This is the story of Easter.

We think we have it all figured out.
Even if I have to die with you, I will never disown you. Mark 14:31

When we doubt, we won't believe.
But the story sounded like nonsense to the men, so they didn't believe it. Luke 24:11

When Jesus died, people lost hope and quit believing.
We had hoped he was the Messiah who had come to rescue Israel.
Luke 24:21

Hope doesn't have the power to save you, but it does lead us to investigate.

Peter, however, got up and ran to the tomb. Bending over, he saw the strips of linen lying by themselves, and he went away, wondering to himself what had happened. Luke 24:12

Belief has the power to save our lives.

If you declare with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. ¹⁰ For it is with your heart that you believe and are justified, and it is with your mouth that you profess your faith and are saved.
Romans 10:9-10

Do you believe?
For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life.
John 3:16

So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed.
John 8:36

Good people don't go to heaven, Forgiven people do.
For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.
Romans 6:23

PERSONAL REFLECTION

How would you react if someone you loved was help captive for a ransom?

What price would you be willing to pay to save someone you love from a hostage situation?

How does the fact that Jesus gives His life in exchange for yours impact your trust in God?

Who do you need to share this online message with today?