

WEEK 2

SMALL GROUP GUIDE



THIS SERIES

For some of us, the Easter story is a little unclear. (It has something to do with Jesus dyeing Easter eggs with a rabbit, right?) For others, we've heard the Easter story, seen the Easter plays, and attended Easter services so many times that it has almost become white noise. In this Easter series, you'll challenge students' assumptions and attitudes about the Easter story as you help them see that the story of Jesus' death and resurrection is **more than just a story**—it's true! And it's **good news for the entire world**.

THIS WEEK

THE BIG IDEA

The Easter story is good news for everyone.

THE BIBLE

John 3:16-18; II Corinthians 5:17-21
Romans 10:9-10

- **What's your favorite family Easter tradition?**
- **In your own words, what is the story of Easter?**
- **What does the Easter story mean to you, personally?**
- **Do you think the Easter story is good news for everyone? Why or why not?**
- **When's the last time (if ever) you shared the story of Jesus' death and resurrection with someone else? What happened?**
- **Read Romans 10:9-10. Why do you think Scripture doesn't say that believing in Jesus is enough? Why is "declaring" it important too?**
- **What's one way someone could make their belief in Jesus public?**
- **If you believe in the Easter story, what's stopping you from sharing that story with others more often?**
- **This week, what are you going to do with the good news that is the Easter story?**