

LIFE GROUPS

SERMON NOTES



The Divine Foolishness of Easter

1 Corinthians 1:18-31 April 9, 2023

START TALKING | asking questions to get you thinking.

1. What are some Easter traditions that seem foolish?
2. What are some of your most meaningful Easter experiences?

START SHARING | asking questions that engage with the message.

3. Read 1 Corinthians 1:18-22. What were Pastor Steve's definitions of these four terms?
 - a. Word of the Cross
 - b. Those who are perishing
 - c. Those who are being saved
 - d. The Greeks
4. Read 1 Corinthians 1:18. Describe how God's power is greater than man's approval.
5. Read 1 Corinthians 1:19-21, 1 Corinthians 1:25, 29, 31. How is God's power greater than man's wisdom?
6. Read 1 Corinthians 1:21-23 and 1 Peter 1:8-9. In these verses what do Jews and Greeks require for belief? What does it actually take to please God?

START LIVING | asking questions that apply God's Word to daily life.

7. As you celebrate Easter, how will you respond to the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ?
8. John 11:25 says, "I am the resurrection and the life. Whoever believes in me, though he dies, yet shall he live, and everyone who lives and believes in me shall never die." Do you believe this?