

- I. The Schemes of Christ's Enemies, Part 1 (27:62-66)

- II. Good News at the Grave: He Is Risen! (28:1-10)
 - A. The Visit of the Angel (28:1-7; 16:21; 17:9, 22-23; 20:18-19; 26:32)

 - B. The Appearance of Jesus (2:8-10)

- III. The Schemes of Christ's Enemies, Part 2 (28:11-15; Ps 2:1, 4; Rom 1:25)

- IV. The Great Commission of the Resurrected Lord (20:16-20; Dan 7:13-14)

Reflection and Application Questions (for personal reflection and family conversation):

1. Why is it significant that Jesus rose from the dead? What difference does it make?
2. How do you know that Jesus rose from the dead?
3. How did God use the schemes of the Jewish leaders for his own purposes?
4. What is the connection between the resurrection and the great commission?