

Lenten Series: Hope  
Part 7 - Resurrection

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**Call to Prayer for Search Team**

**Pastor Search Update.** Thank you KGF for your many promises of prayer for the searching process! For potential pastors prayerfully discerning what God might have in store for their future. For applicants who've already submitted applications. For the KGF Pastor Search Team, active and at work. Our advertisements have been posted on our church website and Facebook, as well as other denominational and seminary websites. Please consider whether God would have you participate in a weekly fasting and prayer time, asking the Holy Spirit to reveal His best way forward for us. We take to heart the deep insight of 1 Samuel 16:7. (From the Pastor Search Team)

Prayer updates can also be found at [Lead Pastor Search page at www.kgfchurch.com.](#)

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Good morning dear friends and welcome to KGF! As is tradition on this Easter morning we also want to share a rousing, ***“He is risen...He is risen indeed!”*** Why is this said throughout the world this morning and for the past 2,000 years? It has to do with this man, Jesus of Nazareth, who just won't leave our lives, our culture...it's as if Jesus is somehow still alive today more than ever. That he is, and that is because three days after Jesus was crucified on a hill outside Jerusalem, Jesus was raised to new life, having conquered sin, death, and the Devil.

This morning we are going to explore together what this resurrection means for us today. But, we are going to go about it a little bit differently. We are going to preach to the church through the children. Yes, all the kids are going to be welcomed to the platform during our message so we can share with them—and you—the story and the meaning of Jesus' resurrection. It is the greatest Story ever told...it is a story known by many names, and this morning it will be entitled, ***“The Biggest Hope Ever to Be Hoped.”***

Friend, this morning we invite you to enjoy a rich time of worship, reflection, singing, and considering this life-changing narrative, which truly is GOOD NEWS for everyone!

In Christ,

Pastor Marcus.

## Open & Doors Adversaries

### BC MB Conference

This year the BC MB conference is being held at Willow Park Church here in Kelowna on

April 26 - 27 - a wonderful opportunity to be involved in our denomination. [Check out the website for Convention details](#) and when you can participate. We have 4 people attending: Marissa Burns, Garth Walker, Kevan Gilbert, and Joel Lise.

#### Sharing My Faith Story

God's story (HIStory) has intersected our personal story through our relationship with Jesus. How do we share that amazing story with others? Our sister church next door (**Mission Springs Church of God**) is hosting a two evening workshop on how to prepare our own personal story. I have looked at the principles of this approach and it is VERY good stuff. **May 6 & 7** from 7:00-8:30 pm. Talk to **Pastor Garth** if you have any questions.

## GUESS WHO'S COMING FOR DINNER



May 3-5, ladies of all ages and walks are invited to Gardom Lake Camp for a weekend of fun, relaxation and teaching.

**We have a few more spots to fill, so register today.**

Sign up online at [www.kgfchurch.com](http://www.kgfchurch.com).

Well it's Back! Our last "Guess Who's Coming for Dinner" hosted over 100 people. Join us by signing up for this fun, surprise evening where you will get to know your neighbor at KGF through having a meal in the comfort of a home.

**Date: May 11 Time: 5:30 pm**

Sign up today at Starting Point or online at [www.kgfchurch.com](http://www.kgfchurch.com).



## Week at a Glance

- Tues., Apr 23: 7 am **Men of KGF Prayer** - Men, come join us in prayer  
7 pm **KGF YOUTH** - Life Groups this week
- Wed., Apr 24: 7 pm **Converse** - we will be in the library at KGF. Marissa Burns will be speaking on Community.
- Thurs. Apr 25: 10 am **Women at Prayer** - Women, come join us in prayer  
9 am **Maker's Morning** - Join us as we craft and create in each other's company.

## Coming Soon

- May 2: **Impact (60+ ministry)** announces Our May Potluck Dinner is at 6pm. Back Porch Gospel Singers. Please bring a dish to serve 6 people. If you need a ride or for more info phone Val at 250.764.2114
- May 3 - 5: **Women's Retreat** - Registration is now open for this Gardom Lake Bible Camp event. Just a few spots left.
- May 4: **Biking with Friends** - Starting 8 am in the KGF Parking lot every 1st Saturday of the month
- May 11: **Guess Who's Coming to Dinner** - Are you interested in connecting with others over a meal in their home? Do you enjoy getting to know new people/families?
- May 12: **Baby Bottle Campaign** starts for Pregnancy Care Center. Save those dimes and quarters.



#### Celebration and Information Dinner

Join Freedom's Door April 26th for real life stories of hope, encouragement, and inspiration. Tickets available at Kennedy's Parable on Harvey, Loaves & Fishes on Lawrence or through Freedom's Door at 250-717-0472

For detailed info on all events go to [www.kgfchurch.com](http://www.kgfchurch.com) or visit the Starting Point desk in the Lobby