

Summary: Jesus' body stays in the tomb on Sabbath; the angel opens the tomb on Sunday and Jesus comes back to life.

Read Before: Matthew 27:57 – 28:8; Luke 24:1-12; John 19:31 – 20:13; The Desire of Ages 769-787; The Bible Story Vol9 p129-155

Aim: Jesus resurrection means I can live forever with Him

1. *What do I already know?* ☒ Listen / Talk ☒ See ☐ Do

Show some seeds and some pictures of seeds.

Ask: Which will grow? Why?

Say: The real seeds have life inside them. Only God can create life. Today we will find out what happened when Jesus who is God, died.

2. *Tell story / give facts.* ☐ Listen / Talk ☒ See ☐ Do

Tell story with felts or with craft

3. *Review / how does it apply today?* ☐ Listen / Talk ☐ See ☒ Do

Say: This term we are learnt about the things that happened in the last week before Jesus died. Today we are doing our last puzzle piece. If you stand back from the puzzle can you see what the big picture is about? (The cross)

Puzzle Piece 13: White piece – tomb with stone the rolls away

4. *What can this become / what can we do?* ☒ Listen / Talk ☐ See ☐ Do

Discuss the importance Jesus resurrection – without it, Christianity is meaningless.

Imagine how the people felt when they found out Jesus was alive again!

Consider that Jesus died and was resurrected for you. How should you feel about it?

To Do List

Print:

- ☐ A MV colouring page for each child
- ☐ A program list for each teacher
- ☐ Craft.pdf and stones.pdf onto card

Have:

- ☐ Paper fasteners
- ☐ Seeds and pictures of seeds