Northwest Bible Church - April 17, 2022 - Easter Sunday - Alan Conner

**Matthew 28:1-20**

*The Resurrection of Jesus*

Intro

**A. THE MINISTRY OF THE WOMEN (Matthew 28:1).**

1. They knew the place of the tomb (27:59-61).

2. They came to finish the burial preparations (Mk. 16:1).

**B. THE EARTHQUAKE AND THE ANGEL (Matthew 28:2-7).**

1. Earthquakes at Christ’s death and resurrection (27:51).

2. The action and appearance of the angel (Matthew 28:2-3).

3. The effect on the soldiers (Matthew 28:4).

4. The angel addresses the women (Matthew 28:5-7).

**C. JESUS MEETS THE WOMEN (Matthew 28:8-10).**

1. Worship (Matthew 28:8-9).

2. Instructions (Matthew 28:10).

**D. THE FUTILE SCHEME OF THE CHIEF PRIESTS (Matthew 28:11-15).**

1. Bribery (Matthew 28:11-12).

2. The ridiculous story (Matthew 28:13-15).

**E. THE GREAT COMMISSION (Matthew 28:16-20).**

1. Christ’s authority (Matthew 28:18).

2. Christ’s commission (Matthew 28:19-20a).

3. Christ’s empowering presence (Matthew 28:20b).

Conclusion