

# The Year Of Following Jesus #72: Honoring Women Like Jesus Did

May 13, 2023

*Welcome Home!  
Thanks for joining us today*

**May 13 & 14, 2023**

Greater

**Welcome**

Counting Every Blessing

Egypt

**Lord's Supper Thought**

It Is Well

**Prayer**

**Communion**

**Lesson: The Year(s) of Following Jesus #72**

**What Does Honor Look Like? — Pastor Ed**



## **Good Stuff To Know**

**Riverside Services Online-** If you aren't in town on the weekend, you can still follow our services. We live stream each service on Facebook! You can also watch them anytime through Facebook by navigating over to <https://www.facebook.com/EagleRiverside>. And you don't need a Facebook account to watch the videos.

**Offerings To Riverside - In case you were wondering-** We don't pass a collection plate at Riverside. If you'd like to give, there are boxes at the back & envelopes in the information racks for cash donations. If you would like the convenience of giving online, go to [www.EagleRiverside.com](http://www.EagleRiverside.com), click on "Give" and follow the directions. Your donations are an answer to our prayers and are the only means by which Riverside is able to operate.

**FAQs -** Have questions about why we do what we do and why we don't do what we don't do? Chances are you'll find more about it on our FAQs page. You can access the page from our website or text the word "Guest" to 907-312-2662 and you'll receive a link to the page.



### First Time Visitors

#### The Lord's Supper (Communion)

This is a time when we "commune" with God and remember Jesus' sacrifice. We also "commune" with one another as His church family. You are welcome to participate with us by going to one of the tables set up with trays- each cup is actually 2 cups (bread in bottom and juice on top) so grab a set of cups and take it back to your place (and don't forget to social distance). You can eat/drink the cracker and juice whenever you feel ready and then throw the cups away on your way out (there are trash cans at all exits). Everyone is welcome to join us if you're interested in remembering Jesus' life & sacrifice with us.

"Welcome To Riverside" brochure available online.  
[www.EagleRiverside.com](http://www.EagleRiverside.com)

### This Week At Riverside

(Specific info about these activities is listed in the "Happenings" section)

- ➔ Warriors in Christ Monday
- ➔ Marriage Small Group Wednesday @6:30
- ➔ Thrive Thursday
- ➔ Graduate pics due Friday
- ➔ Service Project: food pantry

#### Need To Talk?...

The church office is not staffed during the week. There is a preschool that uses our building, so Ed, Aniela & Nate work from home. If you would like to contact them directly you can call them or email and set up an appointment.

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Facebook: EagleRiverside

### Riverside Happenings

**Riverside Service Project** - Help us gather non-perishable food items for the food pantry in May. See Janet for details.

**May Your Marriage Be Fun!** Riverside is hosting a fun marriage series Wednesdays @ 6:30 for the month of May. See Aniela for details.

**Graduate Celebration** - Send photos of your graduates to [eagleriverside@gmail.com](mailto:eagleriverside@gmail.com) with "Graduate" and your graduate's name by 5/19.

**Warriors in Christ** - Meets Monday at 6pm. See Nate for details.

**Men's Prayer Group** - Currently in Psalm 119. Contact Hank at 713 548 7446.

**Ladies Craft Day** - Bring your own craft and a dish to share. Saturday, June 10th, 10am-4pm at the church. See Becky 812-449-7004.

**Baptism** - Want to get baptized or have questions? Scan the QR code or go to [www.EagleRiverside.com/baptism](http://www.EagleRiverside.com/baptism)



**Write to our missionaries** - See the bulletin board for more info.

**JAM Camp** - July 9-13. Registration is open now for those entering 5th-12th grade. Cost is \$250/camper. Scholarships are available. See Ed or Aniela if you need a scholarship or would like to donate to the scholarship fund.

### Upcoming Youth Events

Thursday, May 22nd, 6:00 - 7:30

Ignite and Rev (our two younger youth groups) will combine at Riverside for pizza, games, and a devotional.

For 4th - 8th graders. Questions? Like to help? See Cassie.



Thursday, May 18th, 6:00 - 8:00

9th - 12th graders. At Riverside. Pizza, games, and a devotional.

Questions? Like to help? See Aniela.



To get updates, text the following to 907.312.2662:

"IGNITE" (4th & 5th) "REV" (6th-8th), -or- "THRIVE" (9th-12th).

Everybody's Welcome...

Nobody's Perfect...

Anything's Possible!

Following  
**The Year(s) Of ^Jesus #72**  
**Mother's Day 2023**  
**How Jesus Honored Women**



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*A woman who reveres the LORD should be praised. Give her the reward she has earned; she should be praised in public for what she has done.*

*—Proverbs 31:30-31 (NCV)*

## **Honoring Women Like Jesus Did...**

### **1. The Outcasts.**

- *Then the frightened woman, trembling at the realization of what had happened to her, came and fell to her knees in front of him and told him what she had done. And he said to her, “Daughter, your faith has made you well. Go in peace. Your suffering is over.”*

*—Mark 5:33-34 (NLT)*

- *The woman said, “I know that Messiah” (called Christ) “is coming. When he comes, he will explain*

*everything to us.” Then Jesus declared, “I, the one speaking to you—I am he.”*

*—John 4:25-26 (NIV)*

- *Then Jesus stood up again and said to the woman, “Where are your accusers? Didn’t even one of them condemn you?” “No, Lord,” she said. And Jesus said, “Neither do I. Go and sin no more.”*

*—John 8:10-11 (NLT)*

## **2. The Disciples.**

- *He took his twelve disciples with him, along with some women who had been cured of evil spirits and diseases. Among them were Mary Magdalene, from whom he had cast out seven demons.*

*—Luke 8:1-2 (NLT)*

- *Martha welcomed him into her home. Her sister, Mary, sat at the Lord’s feet, listening to what he taught. But Martha was distracted by the big dinner she was preparing. She came to Jesus and said, “Lord, doesn’t it seem unfair to you that my sister just sits here while I do all the work? Tell her to come and help me.” But the Lord said to her, “Martha, Martha, you are worried and upset over all these details! There is only one thing worth being concerned about. Mary has discovered it, and it will not be taken away from her.”*

*—John 10:38-42 (NLT)*

- *Jesus told her, “I am the resurrection and the life. Anyone who believes in me will live, even after dying. Everyone who lives in me and believes in me will never ever die. Do you believe this, Martha?” “Yes, Lord,” she told him. “I have always believed you are the Messiah, the Son of God, the one who has come into the world from God.”*

*—John 11:25-27 (NLT)*

- *Why criticize this woman for doing such a good*

*thing to me? ...She has poured this perfume on me to prepare my body for burial. I tell you the truth, wherever the Good News is preached throughout the world, this woman's deed will be remembered.*

*—Matthew 26:10-13 (NLT)*

### **3. The First Evangelist.**

- *She turned to leave and saw someone standing there. It was Jesus, but she didn't recognize him. "Dear woman, why are you crying?" Jesus asked her. "Who are you looking for?" She thought he was the gardener. "Sir," she said, "if you have taken him away, tell me where you have put him, and I will go and get him." "Mary!" Jesus said. She turned to him and cried out, "Rabboni!" (which is Hebrew for "Teacher")... go find my brothers and tell them, 'I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God.'"* Mary Magdalene found the disciples and told them, "I have seen the Lord!" Then she gave them his message.

*—John 20:14-18 (NLT)*

- *There is no longer Jew or Gentile, slave or free, male and female. For you are all one in Christ Jesus.*

*—Galatians 3:17 (NLT)*

### **Follow Through Step:**

**Do something to honor the ladies in your life- like Jesus did.**