

**THE GHANA POLICE CHURCH, ACCRA**

**RESURRECTION SUNDAY**

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**APRIL 20, 2025**

# **THEME**

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**TESTIFYING ABOUT THE POWER  
OF THE RESURRECTION:  
THE ROLE OF IN-PERSON BIBLE  
STUDY AND HOME CELLS**



# SCOPE

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- **INTRODUCTION**
- **THE DEATH OF JESUS CHRIST**
- **TESTIFYING ABOUT THE POWER OF THE RESURRECTION**
- **THE ROLE OF IBS&HC**
- **CONCLUSION**
- **MEMORY VERSE**

# INTRODUCTION

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The central Message of Christianity is  
Jesus' Resurrection and its  
Transformative Power over sin!

# THE DEATH OF JESUS CHRIST

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**John 8:34; Heb 2:14-18**

- Sin enslaves
- Jesus Breaks the Power of sin, satan and death
- Victory for Abraham's descendants



# TO TESTIFY MEANS

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- **Make a solemn declaration under oath for the purpose of establishing a fact**
- **Make a statement based on personal knowledge or belief ie to bear witness**
- **Serve as evidence or proof**
- **Express a personal conviction**

# TESTIFYING TO THE POWER OF THE RESURRECTION

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- Personal Encounter & Transformation are **Key!**

## **Acts 9**

- Sharing personal experience of the Resurrection  
Power makes all the difference.

## **Acts 3:1-19**

# MODEL OF THE EARLY CHURCH

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The early Church met in homes in small groups for Fellowship, Teaching, and for Prayers.

- **Acts 2:42-47**
- **Acts 4:32-37... Barnabas the 'Encourager'**



# HOME CHURCHES IN NT

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- **1Corinth 16:19**
- **Col. 4:15**
- **Philemon 1&2**

## ■ **THE ROLE OF IN-PERSON BIBLE STUDY & HOME CELLS**

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- Promotes Deeper Relationships And Fellowship
- Facilitates Prayer, Support, Unity & Care
- Encourages Evangelism And Church Growth

# **THE ROLE OF IN-PERSON BIBLE STUDY & HOME CELLS *C'TD***

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- Enhances Spiritual Growth And Discipleship
- Empowers Leadership And Ministry Involvement
- Strengthens The Family And Home



# **PROMOTES DEEPER RELATIONSHIPS AND FELLOWSHIP**

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Small groups allow people to **know themselves  
and build meaningful relationships.**

- Hebrews 10:24&25 NLT

# **FACILITATES PRAYER, SUPPORT, UNITY, LOVE etc**

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- Prayer for each other **James 5:16**
- Bear one another's burdens **Galatians 6:2**
- Unity: (Oneness in Mind & Heart) **Acts 4:32**
- Love In Action: **1John 3:18**

# ENCOURAGES EVANGELISM AND CHURCH GROWTH

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- For where two or three are gathered in my name, there I am in their midst.
- **Matt 18:20**



# **ENHANCES SPIRITUAL GROWTH AND DISCIPLESHIP**

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- The Word is spiritual food for spiritual growth.
- Study it, Teach others.

**1Pet 2:2; 2 Timothy 2:2**

# **EMPOWERS LEADERSHIP AND MINISTRY INVOLVEMENT**

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Future leaders are easily identified and trained in a more personal environment

**Ephesians 4:11&12**

# **STRENGTHENS THE FAMILY AND HOME**

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Meeting in homes reinforces that faith is not just for Sundays at Church but everyday life.

**Deuteronomy 6:6&7**



# CONCLUSION

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- In-Person Bible Study and Home Cells help believers to study and understand God's Word and share their faith about the Resurrection
- Pray for each other, Support, Unity, Love etc

# CONCLUSION

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- IBS&HC Ministry is the GPC's structure for Discipleship and Pastoral care.
- The Christ-Centered Discipleship life will be enhanced. We shall build strong Police Churches in Ghana, Africa and Globally through the Resurrection P’”

# MEMORY VERSE

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- **Philippians 3:10a**
- **That I may know Him and the Power of His Resurrection. Amen**