

EASTER

AT HERITAGE

BIG IDEA

Wake Up, O Sleeper! Hear the call of Ephesians 5:14 NIV: “Wake up, sleeper, rise from the dead, and Christ will shine on you.” Join us as we hear the hope Jesus offers each of us by turning our rejection into redemption.

ICEBREAKER/CHECK-IN QUESTION

- Share a funny story about a time when you overslept and missed something important.
- If you were a human alarm clock, what quirky sound or action would you use to wake people up?

DISCUSS

- How do you relate to the idea of spiritual sleepiness or apathy in your own life?
- In what ways have you seen the power of the resurrection impacting your life or the lives of others?
- What alarms or wake-up calls have you experienced that led to positive changes or growth?
- How can we actively engage with our faith to avoid becoming indifferent and drifting away?
- What steps can we take to ensure that we not only wake up spiritually but also rise up to live out our faith authentically?
- How does the concept of God using struggles and challenges to draw us closer to Him resonate with you personally?
- Reflect on a time when a wake-up call or moment of realization transformed your perspective or actions.
- How can we support and encourage one another in staying awake and responsive to God's direction and call in our lives?

READ

- **EPHESIANS 1:19-20**
- **EPHESIANS 5:14**
- **2 CORINTHIANS 7:10**

DISCUSS

- How does Ephesians 1:19-20 inspire you to seek a deeper understanding of God's power at work in your life?
- In what ways can Ephesians 5:14 serve as a reminder for us to wake up from any spiritual slumber and embrace the light of Christ?
- Reflect on 2 Corinthians 7:10 and share a time when sorrow or challenges led you to refocus on eternal life and seek God's guidance.

PRAY

Lord, awaken us to Your grace and power, guiding us to live fully in the light of Christ's resurrection. Amen.