

## **The Resurrection of Jesus**

(1 Corinthians 15:1-28; S. Terry at CFC; Sunday Morning, 4/7/13)

**Theme:** We have eternal life by faith in the resurrection power of Jesus Christ.

### **I. The Centrality of Jesus' Resurrection in the Gospel (15:1-11)**

- A. The gospel preached that saved the Corinthians (1-2)
- B. The gospel attested to by eye witnesses (3-8)
- C. The gospel power in Paul's ministry (9-10)

### **II. The Consequences of Denying Jesus' Resurrection (15:12-19)**

- A. Essential to our proclamation (12-14)
- B. Essential to our witness (15)
- C. Essential for our faith (16-17a)
- D. Essential for forgiveness of our sins (17b)
- E. Essential for the dead in Christ (18)
- F. Essential for our hope (19)

### **III. The Promise of Jesus' Resurrection to His Followers (15:1-11)**

- A. The promise and pattern of the resurrection of believers (20-23)
- B. The promise of death's death and the kingdom of God (24-28)