

2010-11 BSP#9 Group Time Discussion

L – Low, M – Medium, and H – High, indicate the difficulty of a question. Group leaders should select questions that are challenging to their groups but not so difficult that their group members cannot answer.

(A) “He Opened to Us the Scriptures” - Questions for scriptural reading and discussion

(Time available: 10 minutes. Do at least 2 questions.) 「祂給我們講解了聖經」 - 為讀經及共同討論的問題(用十分鐘時間，至少討論 2 個問題)

1. [M] Read 15:5-8. Why do you think Paul’s account made no mention of the holy women to whom Jesus also made his post-resurrection appearance (Mk. 16:1-8). 請閱讀 15 章 5-8 節。您認為在保祿的敘述中，沒提那些見到復活後主耶穌的聖婦是為什麼。
2. [M] Explain the Jewish background for denying the resurrection. What about a Greek one? What would result from a Christian denial of the resurrection? 請說明猶太人否認復活的背景是什麼。希臘人也否認復活？如基督徒亦否認復活，會有什麼後果？
3. [H] What four qualities of the risen bodies of the saints does Catholic theology enumerate? List a couple of gospel events that support this understanding of the resurrected body. 有關聖人復活後的身體，天主教神學列舉了那四類特徵？在福音中那兩件事支持這說法？

(B) “Did Not Our Hearts Burn?” – Discuss one of the question below for meditation, prayer, and application. (Suggested time: 15 minutes) “我們的心不是火熱的嗎？“為默想，祈禱，實踐”的題目，請用十五分鐘討論以下任何一條問題。

- a) In 15:8-10, Paul reflects on his life: who he once was and who he is after conversion to Christ, and concludes, “But by the grace of God I am what I am, and his grace toward me was not in vain.” Reflect on your life: who you once were and who you are now. Who are you, by the grace of God? How has the grace of God in your regard not been in vain? 保祿在格 15:8-10 中回顧自己的一生：他曾是如何的人，回歸基督後又是如何，他的總結是：“因天主的恩寵我成為今日的我；天主賜我的恩寵沒有落空，”請回顧自己的一生：您曾是如何而現今是如何的人。因天主的恩寵，您成了怎樣的人？如何天主賜您的恩寵沒有落空？
- b) What is your own belief about the resurrection of the dead? How firmly do you hold to the Christian belief on this subject in your own regard – especially if you are facing a life-threatening illness or immediate danger of death? 對於“死人復活”你有何見解？當你面對有生命危險的病或即將面臨死亡時，你堅信這條基督徒信仰的程度是多少？