

WELCOME THE GOOD NEWS

A VISIT BEFORE DAWN

Living the Good News
2nd Sunday of Easter – A

It was dark as we went to the tomb, Mary and I. Not long ago, we had watched as Jesus was laid there. But now, as we neared the tomb, the earth seemed to shake under our feet.

Then we saw something—or someone—as bright as lightning! Light blazed out into the darkness! We peered into the shadowy tomb. It was empty!

And we heard the message: “Don’t be afraid. Jesus is no longer here. Go quickly now. Tell his followers.”

We turned from the tomb and ran! Our feet pounded along the path, and our hearts pounded even harder inside us.

Suddenly, Jesus himself was with us. “Peace be with you,” he said.

Oh, we worshipped him! Then how we ran to tell our glad message. “Rejoice! Jesus lives!”



EASTER JAR

The season of Easter lasts for 50 days.
Counting today, there are 43 days left in the
season of Easter.

Can you think of 43 ways to celebrate Easter?
Brainstorm together. Write each idea on a slip
of paper. (We've given you a few ideas on the
slips below.)

Put the slips in a jar. Each day, pull one slip
from the jar. Do what the slip says.

