

THE FIRST EASTER

THE TOMB IS EMPTY. JESUS IS ALIVE!

THE PASSION WEEK IN JERUSALEM



WHY IS IT IMPORTANT?

THINK ABOUT THIS WEEK'S BIBLE STORY. WHY DO YOU THINK IT IS AN IMPORTANT BIBLE STORY? WRITE YOUR THOUGHTS IN THE SPACE PROVIDED.

TOMB ILLUSTRATION

BIBLE PASSAGE:
JOHN 19:1-20:10

MEMORY VERSE:
1 CORINTHIANS 15:3B-4

JOSEPH OF ARIMATHEA, a follower of Jesus, was given permission to bury Jesus' body. **JOSEPH AND NICODEMUS** took Jesus' body, wrapped it in linen cloths, and placed it in a tomb. This illustration shows what the tomb may have looked like.

The tomb was **SEALED SHUT**. soldiers arrived to guard the tomb, and Jesus' followers went away to mourn and observe the Sabbath.

Early on the third day, Mary Magdalene went to the tomb and was shocked to see the stone had been moved away. Jesus had **RISEN**, just as He said He would!



IN ORDER

Number the images in the order that the events occurred.

