

Good News! About Jesus and the Holy Spirit

Last week – the good news is all about _____.
A very good _____ with a very good _____

The good news is that Life with God is available to _____
through _____

1. The good news about Jesus

‘Let me now remind you, dear brothers and sisters, of the Good News I preached to you before. You welcomed it then, and you still stand firm in it. ³ I passed on to you what was most important and what had also been passed on to me. Christ died for our sins, just as the Scriptures said.⁴ He was buried, and he was raised from the dead on the third day, just as the Scriptures said.’ **1 Corinthians 15:1, 3-4 NLT**

The life, death and resurrection of Jesus opened the way for us to know God because it is through Jesus that God can _____:

John 3:17 NLT ‘For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through him.’

Why did Jesus have to die for us to be _____

Forgiveness is never _____ – someone must always _____
to restore things to the way they were supposed to be.

It was at the cross that God’s hatred of _____ | and love for all
_____ met once for all time.

Christ suffered for our sins once for all time. He never sinned, but he died for sinners to bring you safely home to God.’ **1 Peter 3:18 NLT**

The resurrection of Jesus is important because the _____
shows that God brings _____

When we place our faith in Jesus we are enabled to live a _____

2. The good news about the Holy Spirit

We have all struggled when we tried really hard to change _____
without _____

‘I don’t really understand myself, for I want to do what is right, but I don’t do it. Instead, I do what I hate..... I want to do what is good, but I don’t. I don’t want to do what is wrong, but I do it anyway.’ **Romans 7:15,19 NLT**

‘But if I do what I don’t want to do, I am not really the one doing wrong; it is sin living in me that does it.’ **Romans 7:20 NLT**

‘Who will free me from this life that is dominated by sin and death? ²⁵ Thank God! The answer is in Jesus Christ our Lord.’ **Romans 7:24-25 NLT**

‘So now there is no condemnation for those who belong to Christ Jesus.’ **Romans 8:1 NLT**

Avoiding _____ is not the end. God wants to fully

We can’t become who God intended us to be without God _____
and _____ through His Spirit.

‘So letting your sinful nature control your mind leads to death. But letting the Spirit control your mind leads to life and peace.’ **Romans 8:3-6 NLT**

Additional Notes: