

Matthew 28

Ch 28

Theme – Resurrection Sunday!; Mary Magdalene, other Mary (mother of Joses or James the Less per Mark 16:1, also Salome – possibly mother of Zebedee’s sons); earthquake when angel rolls away the stone from the tomb; guards tremble & fall down; angel comforts the women; “He is not here, for He has risen, just as He said” – v6; women sent to inform the Disciples; women greeted by the Resurrected Lord; Lord Jesus also tells them to tell the Disciples (go to Galilee); some of the guard report the events to the chief priests (don’t go to Pilate); chief priests & elders conferred together (Matt 26:3 & 27:1); bribe the guards & tell them to spread a deception; the eleven (not the twelve) go meet Jesus on the mountain in Galilee area; some are still struggling to understand; all authority given to Jesus, therefore the Lord can charge, send, and give authority to the disciples; Great Commission – Go! Make! Baptize! Teach!; reassurance – “I am with you wherever you go” – v20
