

50 Days of *Easter*

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comes from

Lukan Tradition.

Outpouring of the Spirit on Pentecost

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Mary Recognizes Jesus as "the Risen GOD"

John 20:10-18



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Mary Recognizes Jesus as "the Risen LORD"

John 20:10-18



***"Go and tell them, I am returning to
my Father and your Father
- my God and your God."***

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Mary Recognizes Jesus as "the Risen GOD"

John 20:10-18



"I Have Seen the LORD."

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Jesus Breathed on Them

John 20:19-23



*"Peace be with you! He breathed on them.
Receive the Holy Spirit."*

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The disciples were overjoyed when they saw THE LORD.

John 20:20

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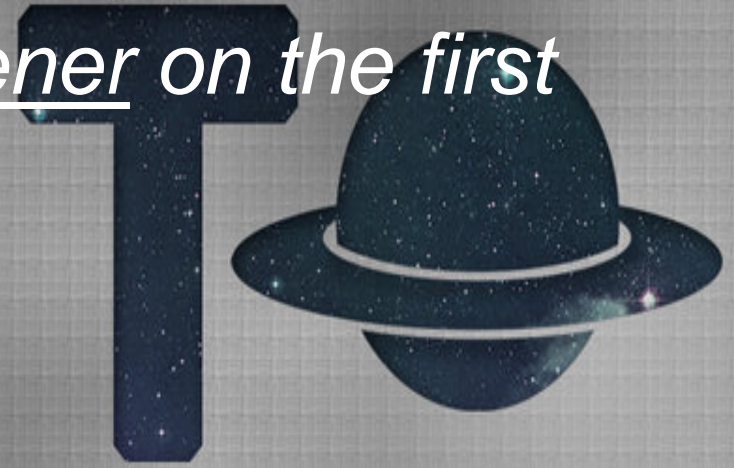
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Apr. 3, Beyond Our Disbelief
Apr. 10, Beyond Our Own Boundary
Apr. 17, Beyond Our Natural Dependency
Apr. 24, Beyond Our Personal Preference
May 1, Beyond Our Racial Heritage
May 8, Beyond Our Family Ties
May 15: **Pentecost**, Beyond Our Faith Tradition

To Infinity and Beyond

Eastertide Sermon Series

1. Draw near to the Gardener on the first day of the week.



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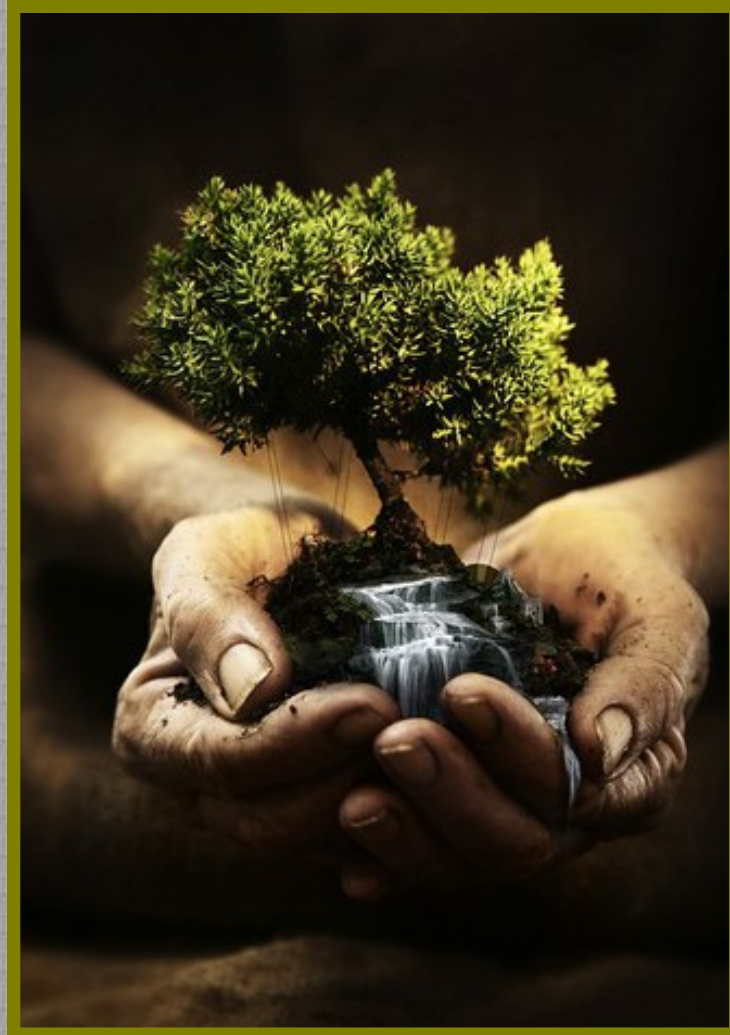
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1. Draw near to the Gardener on the first day of the week.

Thinking he was the gardener, she [Mary] said, “Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have put him, and I will get him.”

John 20:15



1. Draw near to the Gardener on the first day of the week.

How (Not) To Be Secular

James Smith

"I don't believe in God, but I miss Him."

New atheists:

How we can path our lives towards faith at the rise of secularism in the States.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-QPY6VLuEPQ>

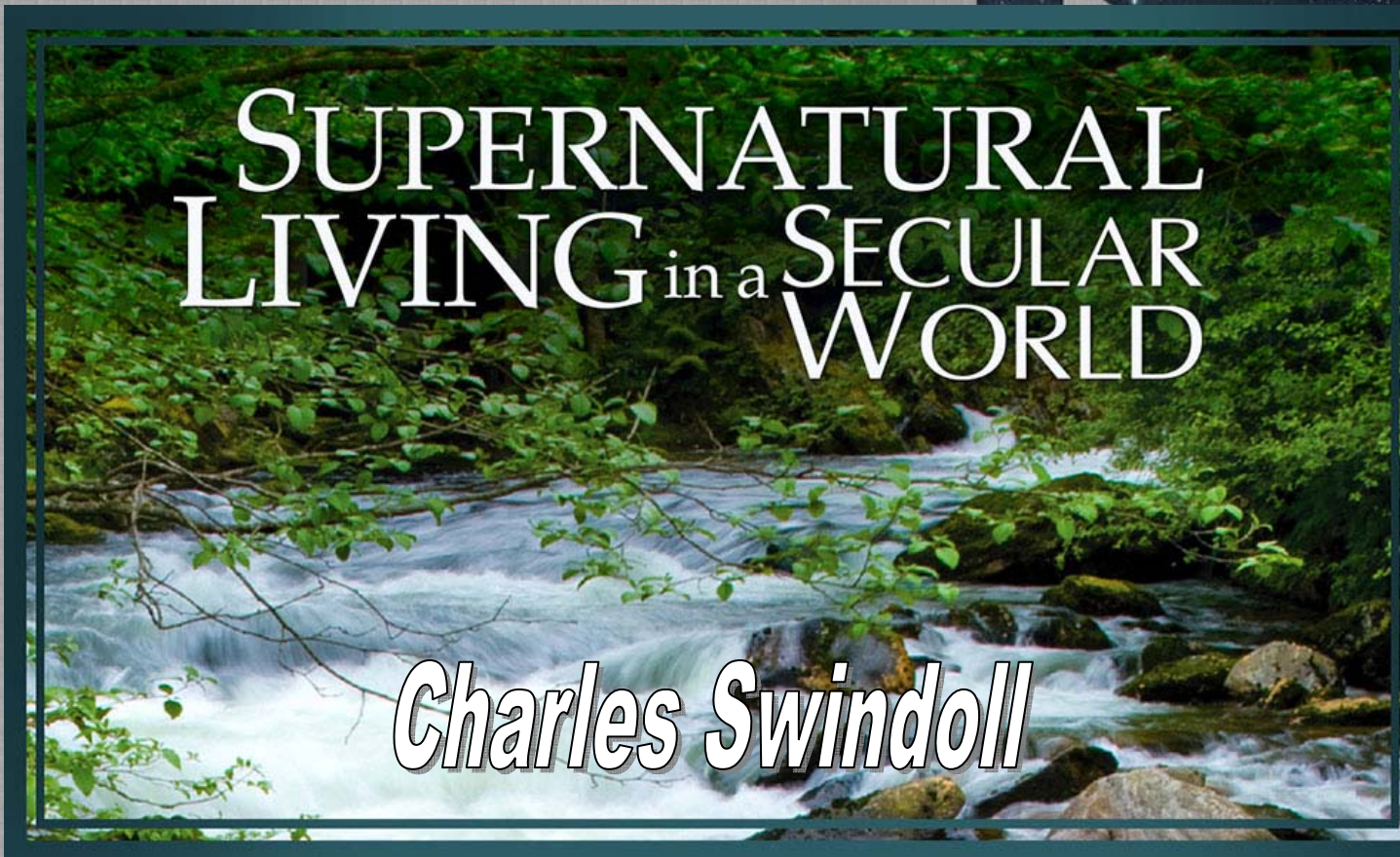
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HOW (NOT)
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Reading Charles Taylor

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1. Draw near to the Gardener on the first day of the week.



2. Don't cry. Receive the Holy Spirit.



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2. Don't cry. Receive the Holy Spirit.

On the evening of that first day of the week, when the disciples were together, with the doors locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, "Peace be with you!" - John 20:19



**The gathering of the disciples
represents the faith community.**

Easter Message for the Contemporary Church!

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2. Don't cry. Receive the Holy Spirit.

And when He had said this, He
breathed into them and said to them,
Receive the Holy Spirit.

John 20:22

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2. Don't cry. Receive the Holy Spirit.



3. Experience Sabbath joy and healing.



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On the first day of the Lord -

The 8th Day!

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**SABBATH
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on the seventh day he rested and was refreshed

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