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Compass Guide
Scripture & Questions

Monday

Scripture: John 20:1-18

Question: Where have you seen the risen Lord in your life today?

Tuesday

Scripture: Luke 7:36-50

Question: While the story from Luke 7 doesn't mention the name 'Mary,' it is believed that the woman who poured perfume on Jesus' feet was Mary Magdalene. How does Jesus' view of her differ from the Pharisees?

Wednesday

Scripture: Luke 8:1-15

Question: Mary, after being healed of her seven demons, begins to follow, and support Jesus' ministry. How are you being called to follow and support the ministry of Jesus through Journey of Hope?

Thursday

Scripture: John 8:1-11

Question: While some contest that the woman caught in adultery was Mary Magdalene, I wonder how you would react in a situation like this? Would you want to throw a rock, or would you show mercy?

Friday

Scripture: Acts 1:12-26

Question: Throughout Jesus' ministry and beyond, Mary and the other women were intricately involved. How can we continue to be inclusive, stretching beyond just male and female, but to all people, all races, in all different statuses? After all, we are all called into ministry!

Saturday

Scripture: Romans 16:1-16

Question: Paul mentions Mary in his personal greetings, mentioning that she "worked hard for you." Who in your life has been like Mary, someone who has worked hard for you in your faith journey? (Maybe you could call them today and let them know you appreciate them.)