INSPIRING WORSHIP ALL WEEK

K	I am the resurrection and the life; whoever believes in me will never die.
E	John 11:25-26
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	Preparing for Sunday, March 26 th
R	Day 1— Ezekiel 37:1-14
E	Day 2— Psalm 130
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D I	Day 3— Romans 8:6-11
N	Day 4— John 11:1-45
G	Day 5—1 Kings 17:17-24
S	Day 6— Acts 9:36-41
	*Sunday readings in bold.
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A P P L Y	Today's Gospel reading is a story about giving new life where the old life has died. Jesus shows us that his power is not limited by death when he raises his friend Lazarus back to life. And a little later, he shows the world through his resurrection that his power extends to all those who believe in him, promising them his gift of resurrection to eternal life. In our world today, we see many who struggle with various addictions and harmful habits that threaten to bring them down to the grave. Let's all be open to the urgings of the Spirit in doing what we can to intervene in the lives of struggling people, helping to bring them back from the edge of the grave.
P R A Y E R	Almighty God, your Son came into the world to free us all from sin and death. Breathe upon us the power of your Spirit, that we may be raised to new life in Christ and serve you in righteousness all our days. Amen.