



# EASTER

at National Community Church

**Easter 2019**, April 20 & 21

**Speaker:** Dr. Mark Batterson

**Scripture:** Acts 2:24, Malachi 4:2

## Sermon Overview

If the tomb is empty, all bets are off. In fact, all things are possible! It's why we're bold enough to believe that we can come out of the shadow of shame, overcome addiction, and face our fears with faith. Jesus is the adjacent possible!

## Sermon Series Questions:

1. What's one step you can take this week to walk out of a "shadow" you are facing?
2. What worry, fear, or struggle do you need to give over to God this week? Can someone help you or hold you accountable?

## Sermon Specific Questions:

1. What's the difference between grace and mercy? Describe a recent time when you have given or received either of those?
2. Pastor Mark says, "The adjacent possible is all that stands between what is and what could be." What does the adjacent possible look like in your life?
3. What makes it difficult or challenging to see "what could be"?
4. Six times in Scripture, God "overshadows". Take some time to reflect on the significance of that truth.
5. The overshadowing of God guides, protects, brings things out of us, conceives things in us and transforms us. In what ways have you seen God overshadow your life?

