



1. Bad News #1: You are a sinner before a holy God.

Romans 3:23

Target illustration, 10 commandments, throwing a rock over Lake Superior

2. Bad News #2: The penalty for your sin is death.

Romans 6:23

Criminal illustration

3. Good News #1: God in His infinite love provided Jesus Christ Who died for you and paid your sin penalty.

Romans 5:8

Bad heart/good heart illustration, criminal illustration continued

4. Good News #2: You can be saved from hell by depending upon Jesus Christ alone to save you.

Ephesians 2:8-9

Explain grace, faith, gift, and not of works

Chair illustration

5. Good News #3: God wants you to know FOR SURE that you are saved and have eternal life.

1 John 5:13