

1. CROWNED RULER

¹¹ Then I saw heaven opened, and behold, a white horse! The one sitting on it is called **Faithful and True**, and in righteousness he judges and makes war. ¹² His eyes are like a flame of fire, and on his head are many diadems, and he has a name written that no one knows but himself. ¹³ He is clothed in a robe dipped in blood, and the name by which he is called is **The Word of God**. ¹⁴ And the armies of heaven, arrayed in fine linen, white and pure, were following him on white horses. ¹⁵ From his mouth comes a sharp sword with which to strike down the nations, and he will rule them with a rod of iron. He will tread the winepress of the fury of the wrath of God the Almighty. ¹⁶ On his robe and on his thigh he has a name written, **King of kings and Lord of lords**.

Revelation 19:11-16

~ **Faithful & True (11): Trustworthiness:**▪ **Promises of Jesus:**

¹⁴ For if you forgive others their trespasses, **your heavenly Father will also forgive you**, ¹⁵ but if you do not forgive others their trespasses, neither will your Father forgive your trespasses.

Matthew 6:14-15

¹⁹ “Do not lay up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust destroy and where thieves break in and steal, ²⁰ but lay up for yourselves **treasures in heaven**, where neither moth nor rust destroys and where thieves do not break in and steal.

Matthew 6:20

⁴⁰ For this is the will of my Father: that everyone who looks on the Son and believes in him should have **eternal life**, and I will raise him up on the last day.”

John 6:40

¹⁰ ... I came that they may have **life and have it abundantly**.

John 10:10

¹⁸ ... I will build my church, and **the gates of hell shall not prevail** against it.

Matthew 16:18

⁴⁴ Therefore you also must be ready, for **the Son of Man is coming** at an hour you do not expect.

Matthew 24:44

~ **The Word of God (13): Authority**~ **King of kings and Lord of Lords (16): Triumphant****SMALL GROUP QUESTIONS:**

1. Share some names of God that Pastor Jack didn't mention Sunday.
2. Why are God's names so important?
3. What is your favorite name or title of God?

2. CROWNED JUDGE

¹¹ Then I saw a great white throne and him who was seated on it. From his presence earth and sky fled away, and no place was found for them. ¹² And I saw the dead, great and small, standing before the throne, and books were opened. Then another book was opened, which is the book of life. And the dead were judged by what was written in the books, according to what they had done. ¹³ And the sea gave up the dead who were in it, Death and Hades gave up the dead who were in them, and they were judged, each one of them, according to what they had done. ¹⁴ Then Death and Hades were thrown into the lake of fire. This is the second death, the lake of fire. ¹⁵ And if anyone's name was not found written in the book of life, he was thrown into the lake of fire.

Revelation 20:11-15

~ Jesus will recognize those who recognize him.

³⁴ And calling the crowd to him with his disciples, he said to them, "If anyone would come after me, let him deny himself and take up his cross and follow me. ³⁵ For whoever would save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for my sake and the gospel's will save it. ³⁶ For what does it profit a man to gain the whole world and forfeit his soul? ³⁷ For what can a man give in return for his soul? ³⁸ For whoever is ashamed of me and of my words in this adulterous and sinful generation, of him will the Son of Man also be ashamed when he comes in the glory of his Father with the holy angels."

Mark 8:34-38

~ It is the dead that are judged – not the living

³² "I am the God of Abraham, and the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob?" He is not God of the dead, but of the living."

Matthew 22:32

⁴⁵ ... "Truly, I say to you, as you did not do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to me." ⁴⁶ And these will go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous into **eternal life.**"

Matthew 25:41-46

SMALL GROUP QUESTIONS:

1. Why is the idea of God as judge scary for us?
2. Is there a way we can look forward to God's judgement?
3. What Scripture would you share with a person that said the God is love and lets everyone in heaven?

3. CROWNED RECONCILER

¹ Then I saw a new heaven and a new earth, for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. ² And I saw the holy city, new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. ³ And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, "Behold, the dwelling place of God is with man. He will dwell with them, and they will be his people, and God himself will be with them as their God. ⁴ He will wipe away every tear from their eyes, and death shall be no more, neither shall there be mourning, nor crying, nor pain anymore, for the former things have passed away."

⁵ And he who was seated on the throne said, "Behold, I am making all things new." Also he said, "Write this down, for these words are trustworthy and true." ⁶ And he said to me, "It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end. To the thirsty I will give from the spring of the water of life without payment. ⁷ The one who conquers will have this heritage, and I will be his God and he will be my son. ⁸ But as for the cowardly, the faithless, the detestable, as for murderers, the sexually immoral, sorcerers, idolaters, and all liars, their portion will be in the lake that burns with fire and sulfur, which is the second death."

Revelation 21:1-8

~ **Christ reconciled me & creation**

- **God has reconciled us to Himself**

⁹ Since, therefore, we have now been justified by his blood, much more shall we be saved by him from the wrath of God. ¹⁰ For if while we were enemies we were reconciled to God by the death of his Son, much more, now that we are reconciled, shall we be saved by his life. ¹¹ More than that, we also rejoice in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have now received reconciliation.

Romans 5:9-11

- **In his grace is waiting to fully reconcile**

²² For we know that the whole creation has been groaning together in the pains of childbirth until now. ²³ And not only the creation, but we ourselves, who have the firstfruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly as we wait eagerly for adoption as sons, the redemption of our bodies. ²⁴ For in this hope we were saved. Now hope that is seen is not hope. For who hopes for what he sees? ²⁵ But if we hope for what we do not see, we wait for it with patience.

²⁶ Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness. For we do not know what to pray for as we ought, but the Spirit himself intercedes for us with groanings too deep for words.

Romans 8:22-26

~ **I carry the message of reconciliation**

- Carry the stone as a reminder to carry the message

¹⁷ Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come. ¹⁸ All this is from God, who through Christ reconciled us to himself and gave us the ministry of reconciliation; ¹⁹ that is, in Christ God was reconciling the world to himself, not counting their trespasses against them, and entrusting to us the message of reconciliation.

²⁰ Therefore, we are ambassadors for Christ, God making his appeal through us. We implore you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God. ²¹ For our sake he made him to be sin who knew no sin, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.

2 Corinthians 5:17-21

SMALL GROUP QUESTIONS:

1. In what ways were you separated from God? (Use Scriptor when possible)
2. Why did Jesus die for mankind? (He had perfect fellowship with the father – He didn't need us) – Use Scripture
**Most people will say because He loves us so much – which is true. But He also died to demonstrate His glory before mankind)*
3. What is the gospel?
4. Have you ever shared the gospel (do you mind sharing the story)?
5. Have you ever led someone to Christ (do you mind sharing the story)?