



# Week 1 Study Sheet

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## Like None Other

### Experience Life Together

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### Experience the Moment with God

We love to compare. We compare our facial features to those of other family members. We compare our likes and dislikes of food and the style of our clothes. We even compare our athletic moves with others. Have you ever met someone who was so unique that no one could compare to them?

Maybe your first thought takes you to a make-believe superhero. No one is like Superman. No one is like Batman. Maybe you start thinking about iconic athletes like Michael Jordan, David Robinson, or even Mickey Mantle. Maybe you start thinking about influential people like Abraham Lincoln, Martin Luther King Jr., or Joan of Arc. Yet even these people can be compared to other influential people, and a case could be made that there are others more influential. Yes, they have done and accomplished great things but so have others.

So, the question remains, is there someone so influential that no one compares to them? Yes, Jesus. He is the only one to turn water into wine and walk on water. More importantly, he is the only one who knew no sin. He is the only one who fulfilled every iota of the law. He is the only one to conquer death through his resurrection. He is the only one who served his people as prophet, priest, and king. There has never been and will never be anyone like him. There is no one who compares to him and there will never be anyone who compares to him. He is the only God to live among his creation. He is the only God who suffered. He is the only God who willingly offered his life on behalf of his creation. He is the only one.

### Experience God through Prayer

Holy Father, help me see how Jesus is the only one for me.

### Experience God through His Word

#### [Read Isaiah 61](#)

- What words or phrases stand out or repeat in this passage?
- How do these words point or speak about Jesus?
- From this passage, why is Jesus the only one?
- What experience is God calling us toward?



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### [Read John 5:31-47](#)

- What words or phrases continue to stand out as you read this passage?
- Are there any phrases or words that repeat?
- Why would Jesus use these words to describe who he is?
- How does this passage point to Jesus being the only one?

## Experiencing God through Practice

Create a daily habit of intentionally seeking Jesus. Jesus should be our first love, not our last resort. He is ready to listen and respond when we seek him. Start your day by saying a 30 second prayer before you pick up your phone.



# Week 2 Study Sheet

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## The Only One to Finish His Work Before His Work Began

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### Experience the Moment with God

Imagine this situation. You know that someone is going to wrong you. You were intimately involved in the details of this person's life. You were there when they were born. You were at their first birthday party. You were there when they scored their first points, graduated college, and got married. Yet, they will betray you. They will take your bank account and transfer out all your money. They will also plot to kill you. You would have given them everything, but they want it all now and have no care about how it affects you. I am pretty sure that your blood is boiling now thinking about this situation.

Guess what, this is the story of humanities' relationship with Jesus. Jesus gave us everything, yet we wanted more. He gave us the parameters of how to live an abundant life, and we wanted to take his place and be the ruler of our own life. This is the amazing story of his love for us. Knowing that we would reject him, reject his instructions, reject his Lordship — he still lived and died for us.

### Experience God through Prayer

Lord Jesus, you are the only one who knew us even before we would know ourselves and yet you still lived your life for our redemption.

### Experience God through His Word

[Read Genesis 1:26-31](#)

- Are there key words or phrases that repeat, contrast, or stand out in this passage?
- Why would God refer to himself as “us”?
- How does this point to Jesus?
- What does this tell us about who Jesus is?



# Week 2 Study Sheet

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## The Only One to Finish His Work Before His Work Began

### [Read John 1:1-5](#)

- What similarities are there between this text and the Genesis passage?
- How does this clarify who Jesus is?
- Why is it important to know that Jesus was before he was born?
- How does this help us understand Jesus as the only one who has never not been?

### Experiencing God through Practice

Submit your will and your ways to God so that you can experience the goodness of his plan. Isaiah 55:9 says that God's ways are higher than our ways. God planned the redemption of Christ before he created us. He desired to have a relationship with mankind and developed a master plan to accomplish it thousands of years later. Practice placing your life in his hands.



# Week 3 Study Sheet

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## The Only One to Create a Universe

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### Experience the Moment with God

Have you ever built a sandcastle? If so, you've tirelessly shoveled sand, formed walls, and filled cone shape buckets to construct a masterpiece on the beach. Families can spend hours imagining what could be out of the wet sand. Unfortunately, for every sandcastle built, there is a wave destined to destroy it. Sometimes it happens sooner rather than later, but eventually the sandcastle will return to the formlessness from which it was created.

Genesis tells us that God created out of formlessness. Scripture points to the fact that Jesus was there as God at creation. God created the sun, moon, and every solar system. Jesus was there when the waters parted from the land. He created mountains, seas, and trees. He created animals that crawl, hop, and fly. Jesus was there when God breathed into man. God created, and his creation has not been destroyed by the waves of time. Yes, Jesus is the only one who created a system of life that is far beyond our comprehension but well within our knowledge.

### Experience God through Prayer

Jesus, how grand are your ways? We praise you, the creator of the heavens and the earth, and thank you for creating us.

### Experience God through His Word

#### [Read Psalm 29](#)

- What key words or phrases repeat or stand out in this passage?
- How does this passage point to Jesus?
- What attributes can we ascribe to Jesus?
- How does this better our experiences with Jesus?



# Week 3 Study Sheet

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## The Only One to Create a Universe

### [Read Colossians 1:15-20](#)

- What words describe Jesus in this passage?
- How does this connect Jesus with being the creator?
- How does this help you better understand who Jesus is?
- How does knowing that Jesus is the supreme creator change your relationship with him?

### Experiencing God through Practice

Spend time outside. God reveals himself to us through his creation. The rocks, the trees, the water, and all of creation point to the glorious Creator and anticipate the day of Christ's return. Go for a walk in your neighborhood or hike a trail, and praise God for this world that reveals his glory.



# Week 4 Study Sheet

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## The Only One to Appear on Earth before His Birth

### Experience Life Together

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### Experience the Moment with God

Have you ever experienced déjà vu? A moment in the present that has an extremely familiar feeling— like you’ve experienced it before. Maybe you had a dream that came true, or you met someone that you felt like you had met before. It’s fitting that the French phrase means “already seen.”

If you read the Old Testament, there are many “already seen” moments like this when it comes to Jesus. From Genesis 1:26 when God says, “Let us make man,” to Daniel 3 when there is a miraculous fourth man in the fire with Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego. The Bible tells of many experiences where God appears in human form—Jesus. Consider who Jacob wrestled with before his name changed to Israel (Genesis 32:22-32). Or the many references to an “angel” speaking with and engaging humanity in such a way that one would easily see the pre-incarnate Christ interacting with his creation. Truly, to cross reference all the Old Testament passages with Jesus would look like the root system of a grass field. Ignatius of Antioch says it like this, “There is one physician, who is both flesh and spirit, born and yet not born, God in humanity, true life in death, both of Mary and of God, first passible and then impassible, Jesus Christ our Lord (Turkey/c.50-c.117).” Jesus is the only one who has ever appeared to humanity before he was born.

### Experience God through Prayer

Jesus, thank you for appearing in my life so many times even before I knew you.

### Experience God through His Word

#### [Read Isaiah 7:13-17](#)

- What words from this passage could be used to describe Jesus?
- How does this passage point to Jesus’ pre-existence?
- How can we see Jesus in our own life?

#### [Read Isaiah 9:1-7](#)

- What words from this passage could be used to describe Jesus?
- How does this passage point to Jesus’ pre-existence?
- Is there a moment in your life that Jesus showed up before you knew him?



# Week 4 Study Sheet

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## The Only One to Appear on Earth before His Birth

[Read Daniel 3:8-30](#)

- How does this passage point to Jesus?
- What can we learn from the Jewish boys and their resolve?
- How has Jesus showed up in a trial for you?

### Experiencing God through Practice

Recall your Jesus moments. God is faithful! He is always present with you. Write down past experiences where God has shown his presence in your life. Ask God to give you eyes to see where he is currently working in your life.



# Week 5 Study Sheet

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## The Only One Whose Life was Described before it Began

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### Experience the Moment with God

The gospel stories of Jesus are amazing! From his birth, life, death, and resurrection, we gain examples of how to live and how to connect with God. Jesus performed amazing feats, touching thousands of lives during his earthly ministry—that number would be in the trillions today.

What if I told you that his whole miraculous life was described in the Old Testament. If you read the Old Testament narrative, you will start to see many connections. Jesus fulfills God's promise to Abraham, atoning for humanity's separation. He fulfills every law given through Moses. He is a direct descendant of David, thus fulfilling God's promise to David of having a king on the throne forever. He was born of the virgin that Isaiah spoke of in chapter 7. He escorts us from darkness to light as was foretold by Isaiah in chapter 9. He would suffer for our sins as Isaiah proclaims in chapter 53. He establishes the new covenant of Jeremiah's vision in chapter 31. The list goes on and on. Jesus is the only one that the law and prophets point too from the Old Testament.

### Experience God through Prayer

Jesus, you have filled every promise, help me to express those fulfillments through my life.

### Experience God through His Word

#### [Read Zechariah 12:10-13:1](#)

- What words from this passage prepare us for the life of Jesus?
- How is this passage connected to the New Testament?
- How does this passage help us understand who Jesus is?

#### [Read Jeremiah 31:31-40](#)

- What words, phrases, or ideas stick out to you from this passage?
- How does this “new covenant” reveal Jesus?
- How does this passage help you understand who Jesus is?



# Week 5 Study Sheet

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## The Only One Whose Life was Described before it Began

### Read Luke 24:35-49

- How does Jesus reveal himself in this passage? What words or phrases describe him?
- Why is it important that Jesus fulfills the Old Testament prophecies?
- How does knowing that Jesus fulfilled the Old Testament promises strengthen your faith?

### Experiencing God through Practice

Get to know the work of Jesus, as described before his birth, by reading Old Testament scripture and their New Testament counterparts. Jesus fulfilled a minimum of 300 prophecies from the Old Testament<sup>1</sup>. Statistically there is a 1 in 10<sup>17</sup> chance that someone could fulfill all the prophecies. How incredible that Jesus truly did come and fulfill every single one! Take a few minutes to read through some of these prophecies:

- Genesis 3:14-15 and Hebrews 2:14 - he will defeat Satan
- Psalm 2:1-2 and Matthew 12:14 - the leaders will conspire against him
- Psalm 2:7 and Matthew 3:17 - God declares Jesus is his son
- Psalm 41:9 and Mark 14:10-11 - he will be betrayed
- Isaiah 50:6 and Matthew 26:67/Matthew 27:26-30 - he will be beaten and spit upon

<sup>1</sup> How many prophecies did Jesus fulfill? | [GotQuestions.org](http://GotQuestions.org)  
[oakhills.church/study](http://oakhills.church/study)



# Week 6 Study Sheet

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## The Only One Who Was at Once Completely Human and Divine

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### Experience the Moment with God

There are many mysterious things within the world we live in. Not everything seems to be defined easily through logic, science, or math. The same could be said about theology. Especially when trying to define the nature of Jesus Christ. It wasn't until the Council of Chalcedon in 433 A.D. that both the divinity and humanity of Jesus was fully defined and accepted.

A Latin phrase, not used much in the modern world, was used to explain the mystery of Jesus. The phrase, “Communicatio Idiomatum,” means communication of properties. What this clarifies is that Jesus is the only one who can be fully God while also being fully man. As man, he understands our struggles, he can fully relate to our suffering. As God, he is fully in control of our struggles, and he can fully restore us during our suffering. Though these natures are distinct, they are in perfect communication to each other enabling Jesus to be the only one who can be born of the virgin Mary and be the only who has always been. Jesus is the only God who took on mortality so that we can experience full redemption.

### Experience God through Prayer

Jesus, thank you for living a life as a man to fully understand every moment of my life.

### Experience God through His Word

#### [Read John 1:9-14](#)

- What words and phrases repeat in this passage?
- Is there a theme that sticks out as you read?
- How is Jesus described in this passage?
- How does this help you better understand who Jesus is?

#### [Read Hebrews 2:5-18](#)

- How is Jesus compared in this passage?
- How can we relate to Jesus?
- Why would Jesus become fully man?
- How can this passage help our understanding of Jesus being the only one?



# Week 6 Study Sheet

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## **The Only One Who Was at Once Completely Human and Divine**

### **Experiencing God through Practice**

Spend time with Jesus today. Jesus is relational. He came down from heaven and took on flesh so that he could relate to us. His death on the cross allows us to have an invitation into eternal life and a relationship with God. He wants us to talk to him! We can do this through prayer. Spend time in prayer today and honestly share with God what is on your heart in the way you would tell it to your best friend.



# Week 7 Study Sheet

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## The Only One Who Spoke with Divine Authority

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### Experience the Moment with God

Have you ever been awed by the authority of a drill sergeant? He speaks, and the whole unit moves. Think about the authority held by heads of state. Their words shape economies, start and end wars, and form laws that govern societies. The words of powerful people have impact.

But think about this, when Jesus spoke all creation was formed. When he gave a command, it was for the dead to rise. His impact wasn't momentary, it's eternal. This is authority. The word used in the original biblical language literally means, "out of being." It is out of who Jesus is, that his authority lies. Is there an area in your life, in which you need his authority? Jesus is the only one who can speak with authority to truly change your life.

### Experience God through Prayer

Jesus, speak to my life. Let my situation, under in your authority, bring honor to your name.

### Experience God through His Word

#### [Read Exodus 3:1-15](#)

- Who is in this passage? What are some important themes?
- Why would God speak to Moses in this way?
- How does this passage speak to God's authority?

#### [Read John 4:1-26](#)

- Who are the main characters in this passage?
- What does Jesus reveal to the Samaritan women about his authority?
- How does this story relate to the authority of Jesus?

### Experiencing God through Practice

We have the gift of Jesus' sermons and words recorded in the Gospels. His words have authority and tell us who God is, who we are, and how we should live our lives. Take time to read Jesus' famous sermon on the mount in Matthew 5-7. Think of three applications from this passage and let his words shape your day-to-day life.



# Week 8 Study Sheet

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## The Only One Who Rebuked Death and Disease

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### Experience the Moment with God

Death and disease are two of the most painful experiences humans can face in a lifetime. The death of a loved one brings great grief. Seeing a loved one suffer from disease can be demoralizing, and often brings with it anxiety, fear, and anger. Death and disease don't just steal life, they steal hope.

Yet, in his ministry, Jesus demonstrated his authority over death and disease. He rebuked the blindness from Bartimaeus' eyes (Mark 10) and in an instant, the man who had been born blind saw color and light and began to follow Jesus. In his grief, Jesus rebuked the curse of death and changed history with the words to his friend, "Lazarus, come out." (John 11:44) Jesus is the only one who can rebuke disease and death into submission. Only in the name of Jesus, and under his authority and will, can we speak hope in the face of death, and healing in the wake of disease.

### Experience God through Prayer

Jesus, speak hope and healing to my heart and rebuke death and disease from my life and in the lives of my family and friends.

### Experience God through His Word

#### [Read Mark 10:46-52](#)

- What phrases stand out to you as you read this passage?
- Why would Jesus decide to heal Bartimaeus?
- How does this reveal the nature of Jesus?

#### [Read John 11:17-44](#)

- Who are the people in the story?
- What words and phrases stand out?
- How does Jesus view death?
- How does Jesus' view of death help us understand his authority?
- How does this passage encourage us when facing death and disease?

### Experiencing God through Practice

In Exodus 15:26, God reveals himself as Jehovah Rapha, which is Hebrew for "The Lord who heals." God is willing to heal. Our role is to call on his name and invite him into the situation. This week, call on God to provide physical and emotional healing to people in need.



# Week 9 Study Sheet

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## The Only One Who Led a Sinless Life and Died a Sinner's Death

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### Experience the Moment with God

It is safe to say that the United States has one of the best criminal justice systems in the world. We have rights that cannot be violated, we are innocent until proven guilty, and everyone convicted must be done so beyond a reasonable doubt, and even then, verdicts can be appealed. One could say that this system is iron clad. Yet, even with all these checks and balances, there are moments when innocent people get convicted of a crime they did not commit.

Wrongful incarceration may be common, but it's rare to find a person who would voluntarily go to prison on behalf of someone else. Yet, this the very story of Jesus. Jesus was not just an innocent man wrongfully accused. He was the only one to live a sinless life. He owed death no debt, yet he gave his life to pay our debt. He was willingly crucified and faced the death of a common criminal to pay the ransom for our sin. But death did not understand that it had no hold on Jesus, on the third day he was resurrected! Ephesians 4:8-9 explains that Jesus descended into the depths of the prison of death. Because he was the only one who was sinless, Jesus owed death no debt and therefore his sacrifice defeated the sting of death for us all. Jesus is the only one who could live a sinless life, die a sinner's death, and still be perfectly justified.

### Experience God through Prayer

Thank you, Jesus, for living a perfect life that broke the hold of death.

### Experience God through His Word

#### [Read Isaiah 53](#)

- What words and phrases stick out to you in this passage?
- How do the prophet's words connect with Jesus?
- How does this passage deepen your understanding of who Jesus is?
- Why is the passage important for us to understand the nature of Jesus?



# Week 9 Study Sheet

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## The Only One Who Led a Sinless Life and Died a Sinner's Death

### [Read Ephesians 2:1-10](#)

- How does this passage help us understand Jesus?
- What words explain his purpose?
- Why would a sinless Jesus offer himself for us?
- How does this passage deepen your relationship with Jesus?

### Experiencing God through Practice

Consider the gift of God's grace through Jesus Christ. Jesus was faced with many temptations during his lifetime, but he remained sinless. He took the cup of wrath that was filled with our sins and died on the cross for our sins. He did what we could not. Practice responding to God with a heart of gratitude. Write a list of 10 things for which you are grateful.



# Week 10 Study Sheet

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## The Only One to Defeat His Own Death

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### Experience the Moment with God

American illusionist Harry Houdini was known for his death-defying acts. He wowed millions of people all around the world with his escapes. At the height of his fame, many people saw him as invincible. Though he escaped chains, boxes, and ropes, in the end he would not escape the grip of death. One of his own stunts would take his life. He would die a great illusionist but never a savior.

The same is not true for Jesus. He spent his life giving to others. He did not woo crowds with illusions; he healed them with his words. He did not trick people with antics; he filled their minds with the truth. Though he died and was buried, on the third day he rose again. He didn't escape death. Jesus is the only one to defeat his own death.

### Experience God through Prayer

Jesus, only you can defeat death! I pray that you keep me until the resurrection.

### Experience God through His Word

#### [Read Ezekiel 37:1-14](#)

- What key points and words stand out in this passage?
- How does this passage speak to the defeat of death?
- How does this passage connect with Jesus?
- How does Jesus demonstrate this power?

#### [Read 1 Corinthians 15:50-58](#)

- What words and phrases does Paul use to describe death's defeat?
- How does Paul describe resurrection?
- What power does Jesus have over death?

### Experiencing God through Practice

Jesus does what we cannot do, he defeats his own death. Romans 6:23 says that the "wages of sin is death" and since Romans 3:23 declares that "all of sinned," naturally we would all have to die. But because Jesus is God, his death overcomes death for us all. Because he lives, we have life. This is the heartbeat of the Gospel. Make a list of 5 people who needs to hear this message. Pray for them 3 times a day this week. Finally, be bold and invite them to church.



# Week 11 Study Sheet

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## The Only One to be Seated at the Right Hand of God

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3. Share a moment from this past week that you are thankful for.

### Experience the Moment with God

Would you let a doctor perform surgery on you if you didn't trust them? Would you let a mechanic put a crown in your mouth? Would you trust a football coach to fit you with the correct prescription for your eyes? I believe that we all have a resounding "no" to these questions. We want the people who hold positions of power in our life to be trained, experienced, and credible.

The same is true for the one who oversees the universe. There have been many great and wise leaders in the world, but would we trust them with the whole universe? I believe that we all would give a resounding "no" to this as well. However, there is one person who has this right. Only one person can be trusted with this position. That is Jesus. Only Jesus can sit at the right hand of God, ruling the heavens and the earth with justice and love. Jesus is the only one.

### Experience God through Prayer

Jesus, have mercy on us as the king and lord of our lives.

### Experience God through His Word

#### [Read Romans 8:31-39](#)

- What phrases stand out in this passage, what words repeat?
- How does Paul help us understand Jesus' authority on the throne?
- Why does Jesus have this authority?
- How does knowing that Jesus is on the throne bring peace to your mind?

#### [Read Hebrews 1:5-14](#)

- Who is being compared in this passage?
- Why is Jesus greater than the angels even though he takes on the form of humanity?
- What does this reveal about the nature of Jesus?
- How does this help us understand that Jesus is the only one who could sit at the right hand of God?

### Experiencing God through Practice

Take a few minutes to read through Revelation chapter 5. Jesus is sitting by the right hand of God. He opens the scroll that no one else can open and then the living creatures and elders worship him. They rejoice in his coming, his victory, and his presence. Write out Revelation 5:12 and focus on declaring Jesus' praise.



# Week 12 Study Sheet

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## The Only One Who Will Return to Set Things Right

### Experience Life Together

Take a moment to think about your week and share with others. This is an exercise that can be done with God, with a family member, or within a small group (allow each group member to share briefly, thank each person for sharing before moving to the next person):

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3. Share a moment from this past week that you are thankful for.

### Experience the Moment with God

Do you ever wish things would just be right? You know the feeling— that ache that reminds you of an aging body, the growing list of home repairs, an unresolved conflict in your relationship, or the unknowns of a changing economy. We try not to be anxious, yet we still find ourselves caring about tomorrow more than today. Don't you wish everything would be set right?

Well, as followers of Jesus, we have this hope—one day, Jesus will set all things right. One day there will be no more sorrow, no more worry. One day we will not have to till the ground, work 80-hour work weeks, or feel anxious about who will help us. One day, Jesus will set all things right. In the twinkling of an eye, Jesus will establish his reign in the New Heavens and New Earth. Jesus is the only one who promised to return and set all things right. Our response, come Lord Jesus.

### Experience God through Prayer

Come, Lord Jesus and make all things new, all things right.

### Experience God through His Word

#### [Read Acts 1:1-11](#)

- What words and phrases stand out?
- How can we see the promises of God in this passage?
- How do we live our life waiting on the return of Jesus?

#### [Read Revelation 22:6-21](#)

- How does this passage help us understand how Jesus is the only one?
- How does this passage encourage us?
- How does this passage reveal the nature of Jesus?

### Experiencing God through Practice

If you knew that Jesus would return tomorrow, what would you do today? This is a question we should all ponder. Write a list of things you would do today if you knew Jesus would return tomorrow. After this, if Jesus tarries, check off what you have done and pray about other things to add. Repeat this for the next week.