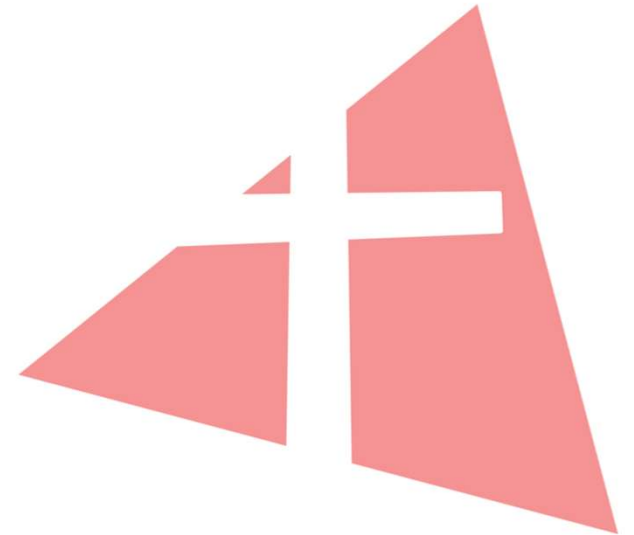


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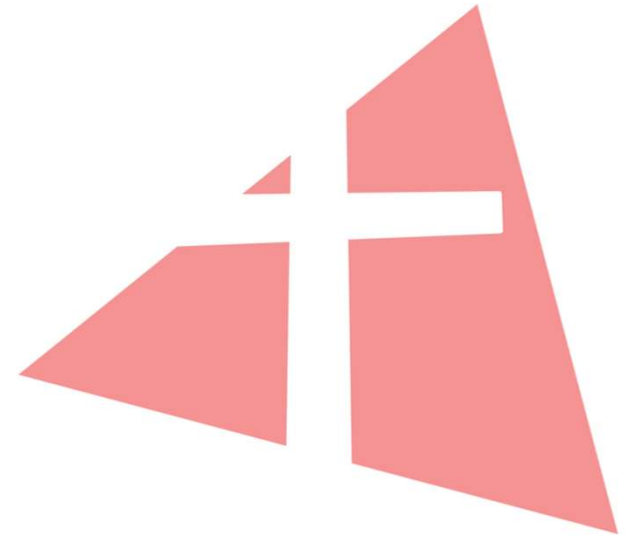
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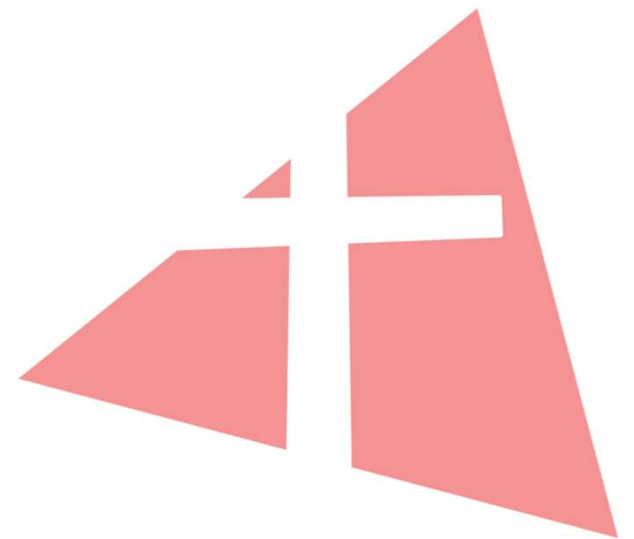
## ○ Jesus

- Encounters
- Parables
- 7 letters



# NEXT FEW WEEKS

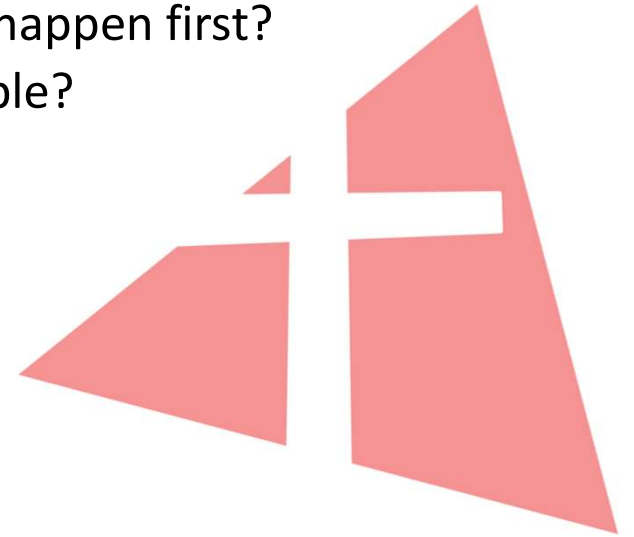
- Jesus' 2<sup>nd</sup> coming



# A CONTROVERSIAL TOPIC

## ○ Many Christians fight over the details

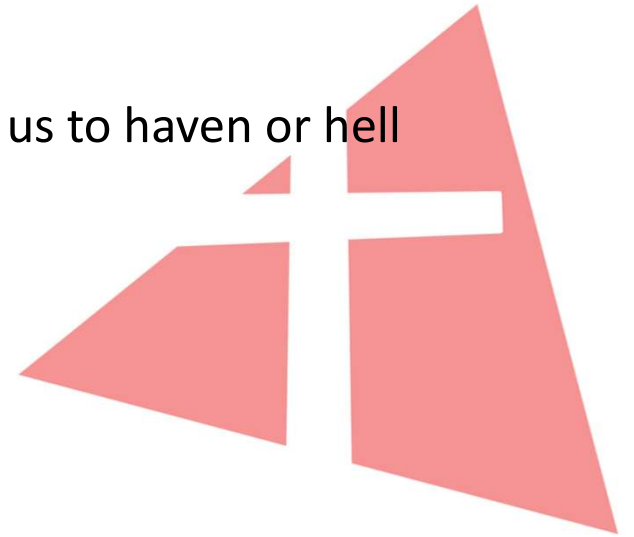
- When is Jesus coming back?
- Could Jesus' return be imminent or do other things have to happen first?
- What's the order of the events that we read about in the Bible?
- Is it a pre-trib-rapture or a post-trib-rapture?
- Are the 1000 years now or later?
- ...



# THE POINT

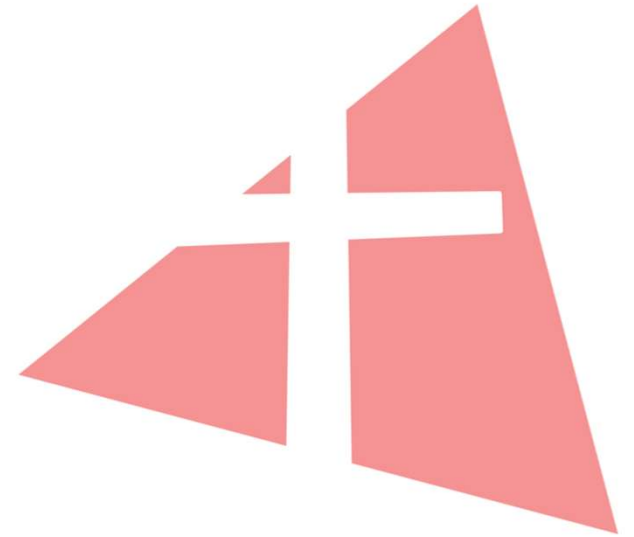
## ○ Jesus wins!

- Jesus will come back
- Jesus will judge every single person (incl. you and me), send us to haven or hell
- Jesus will establish His perfect kingdom



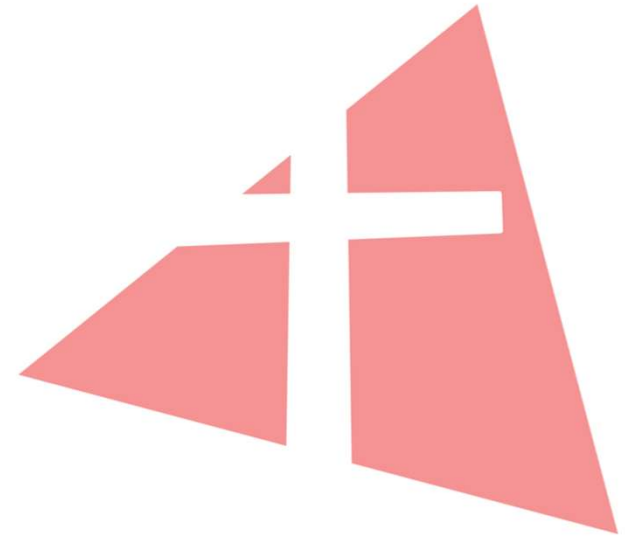
# WHAT WE SHOULD FOCUS ON

- **Be ready for Jesus' coming**
  - Whenever it'll be
  - Make sure you're on the winning side



# OLD TESTAMENT EXPECTATIONS

- **When the Messiah comes, He will immediately completely establish His kingdom**
  - Messiah would come
  - Messiah would judge all people
  - Messiah would establish His perfect kingdom
  - God's kingdom would be fully established



# WHAT WE KNOW NOW

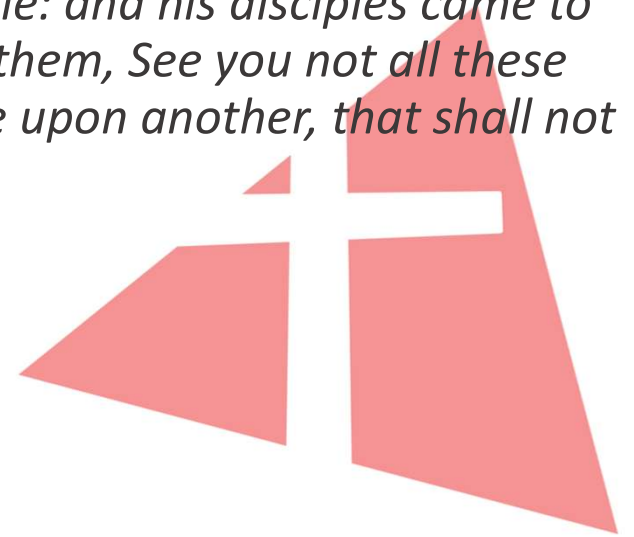
- Jesus has come once to start the process of establishing His kingdom
- Jesus will come a second time to complete the establishment of His kingdom





# MATT. 24

*Matthew 24:1-2 And Jesus went out, and departed from the temple: and his disciples came to him to show him the buildings of the temple. And Jesus said unto them, See you not all these things? verily I say unto you, There shall not be left here one stone upon another, that shall not be thrown down.*



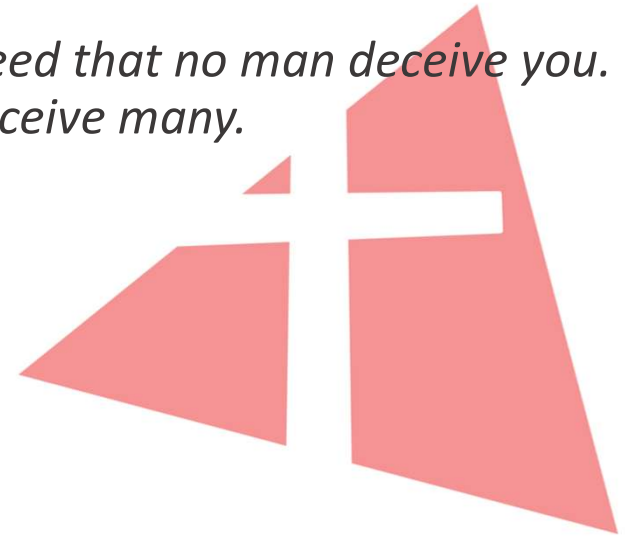
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*Matthew 24:3 And as he sat upon the mount of Olives, the disciples came unto him privately, saying, Tell us, when shall these things be? and what shall be the sign of your coming, and of the end of the world?*



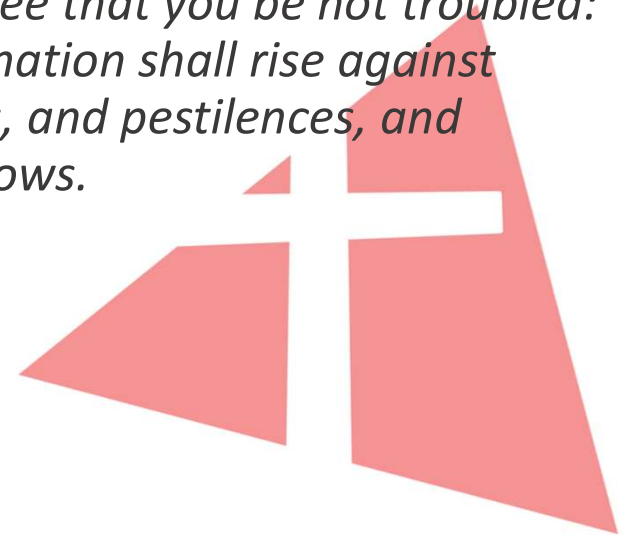
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*Matthew 24:4-5 And Jesus answered and said unto them, Take heed that no man deceive you. For many shall come in my name, saying, I am Christ; and shall deceive many.*



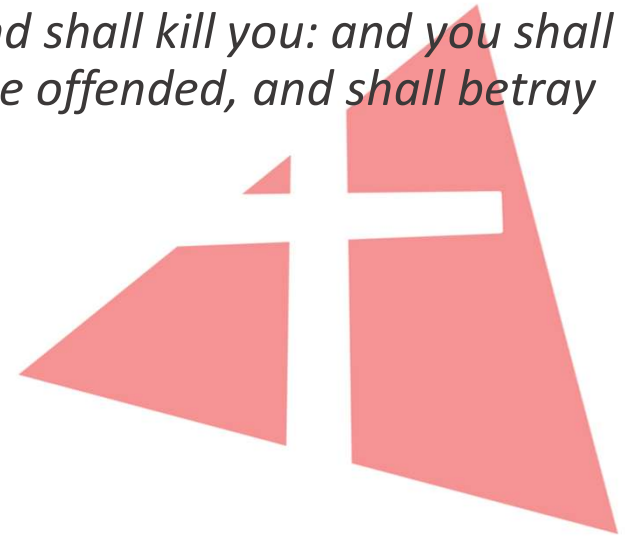
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*Matthew 24:6-8 And you shall hear of wars and rumors of wars: see that you be not troubled: for all these things must come to pass, but the end is not yet. For nation shall rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom: and there shall be famines, and pestilences, and earthquakes, in various places. All these are the beginning of sorrows.*



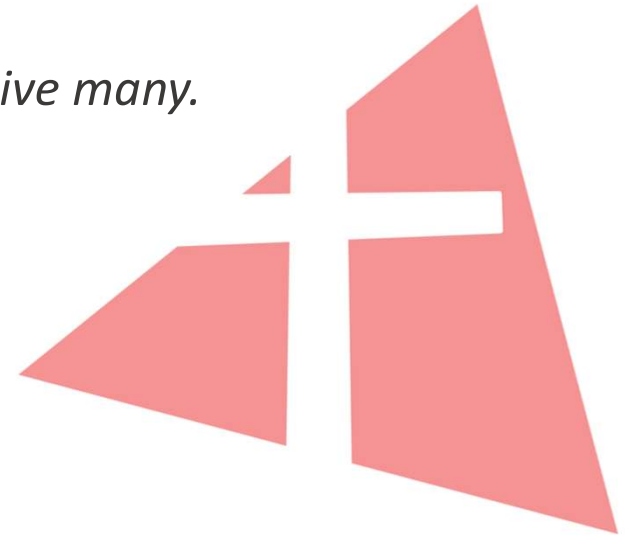
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*Matthew 24:9-10 Then shall they deliver you up to be afflicted, and shall kill you: and you shall be hated of all nations for my name's sake. And then shall many be offended, and shall betray one another, and shall hate one another.*



# MATT. 24

*Matthew 24:11 And many false prophets shall rise, and shall deceive many.*



# MATT. 24

*Matthew 24:12-13 And because iniquity shall abound, the love of many shall grow cold. But he that shall endure unto the end, the same shall be saved.*



# MATT. 24

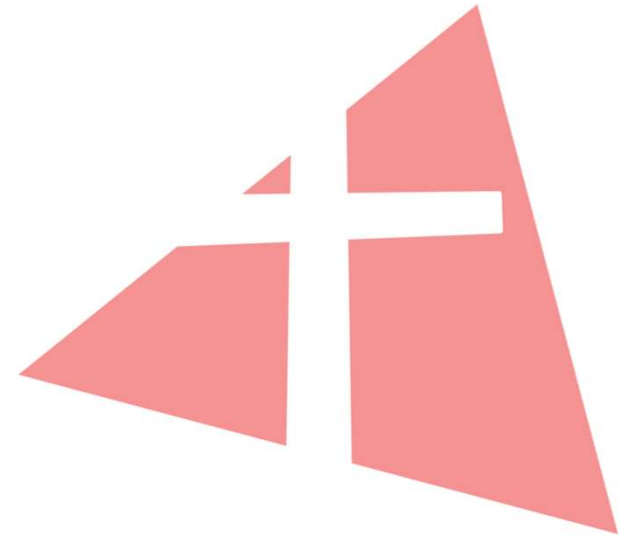
*Matthew 24:14 And this gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in all the world for a witness unto all nations; and then shall the end come.*





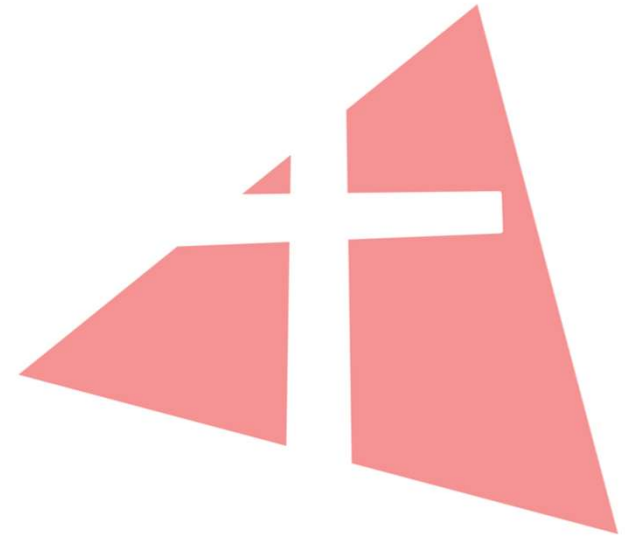
# WHAT CAN WE LEARN?

- We are living in the last season of this age



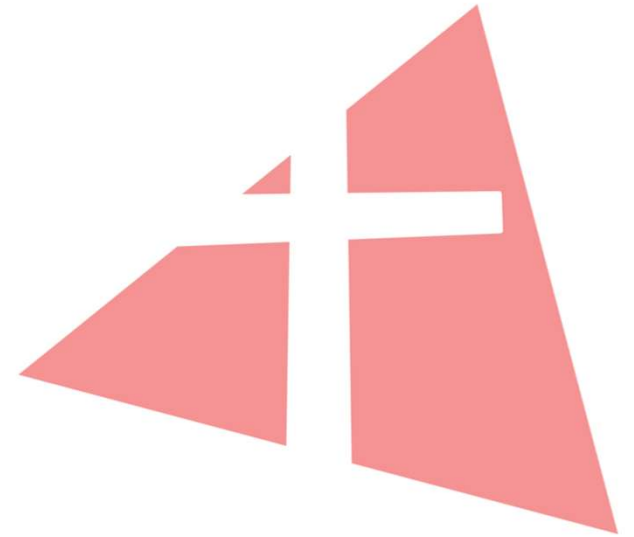
# WHAT CAN WE LEARN?

- War and tensions will increase
- World problems will increase
- Deceptions and confusion will increase



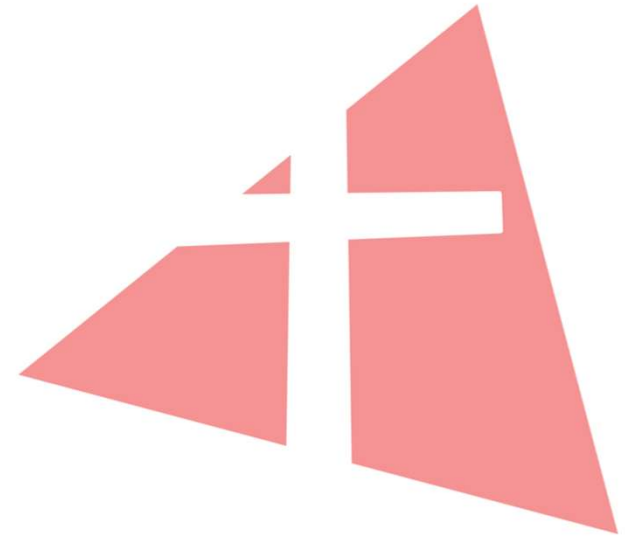
# WHAT CAN WE LEARN?

- **Rejection of Jews and Jesus' followers will increase**
- **Lawlessness will increase**



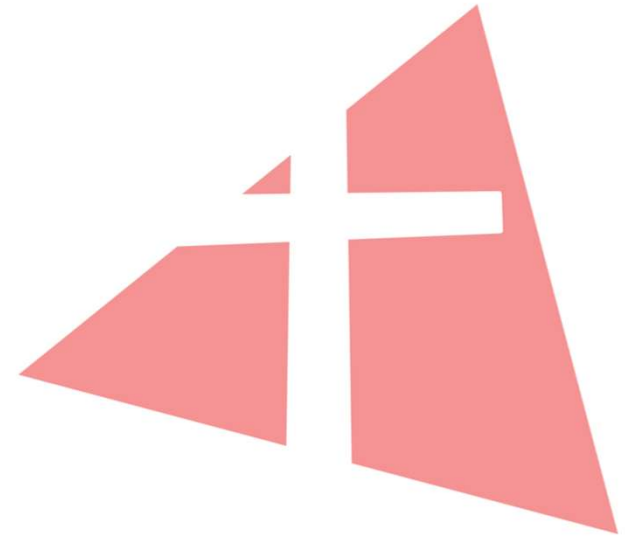
# WHAT CAN WE LEARN?

- The gospel will have to reach all nations for Jesus to return



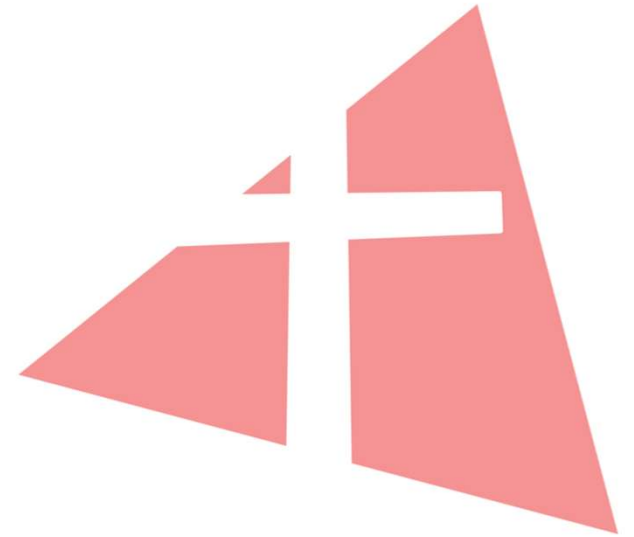
# NEXT WEEKS

- **Jesus establishing His kingdom**
- **Jesus judging all mankind**



# IN CONCLUSION

- Don't be afraid
- Get ready for Jesus' return



# *Communion*

Remembering His sacrifice.

