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A MESSAGE SERIES ABOUT

The Apostles' Creed

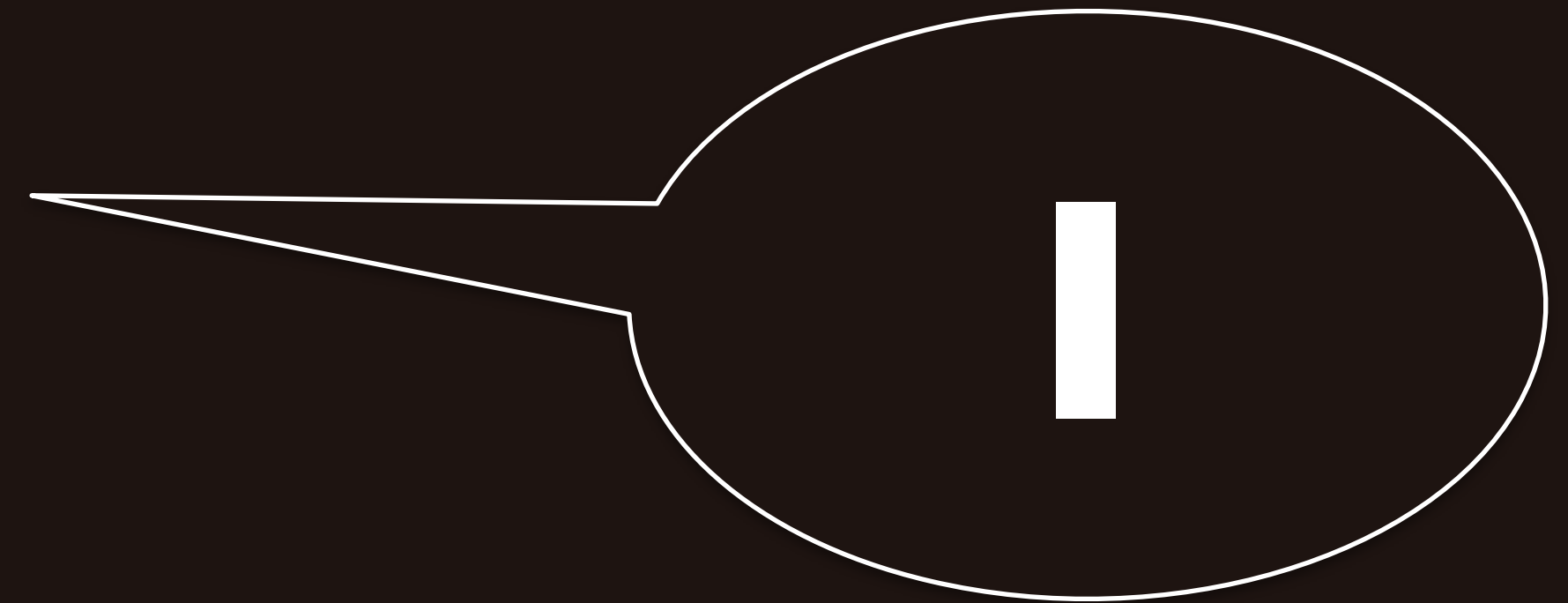
THE FOUNDATION OF OUR FAITH



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ABOUT THE **FUTURE**
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Acts 1:9-11 ESV

*And when he had said these things, as they were looking on, **he was lifted up**, and a cloud took him out of their sight. And while they were gazing into heaven as he went, behold, two men stood by them in white robes, and said, “Men of Galilee, why do you stand looking into heaven? **This Jesus, who was taken up from you into heaven, will come** in the same way as you saw him go into heaven.”*

APOSTLES'
CREED

#1:
JESUS ASCENDED
TO HEAVEN

Luke 24:44-53 NIV

*⁴⁴He said to them, “This is what I told you while I was still with you: Everything must be **fulfilled** that is written about me in the Law of Moses, the Prophets and the Psalms.”⁴⁵ Then he **opened** their minds so they could **understand** the Scriptures.*

*⁴⁶He told them, “This is what is written: The Messiah will **suffer** and **rise** from the dead on the third day,*

Luke 24:47-53 NIV

*⁴⁷and repentance for the forgiveness of sins will be **preached** in his name to all nations, beginning at Jerusalem. ⁴⁸You are **witnesses** of these things. ⁴⁹I am going to **send** you what my Father has **promised**; but **stay** in the city until you have been **clothed** with power from on high.”*

Luke 24:51-53 NIV

*⁵⁰When he had **led** them out to the vicinity of Bethany, he **lifted** up his hands and **blessed** them. ⁵¹While he was blessing them, he **left** them and was **taken up** into heaven. ⁵²Then they **worshiped** him and **returned** to Jerusalem **with great joy**. ⁵³And they **stayed** continually at the **temple**, **praising** God.*

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#2:

JESUS IS **SEATED** AT
RIGHT HAND OF GOD
THE FATHER
ALMIGHTY

Philippians ESV

*Therefore God has **highly exalted** him and bestowed on him **the name** that is above every name, „so that at **the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, „and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.***

Acts 2:33-35 ESV

³³ Being therefore **exalted at the right hand of God**, and having received from the Father the promise of the Holy Spirit, he has poured out this that you yourselves are seeing and hearing. ³⁴ For David did not ascend into the heavens, but he himself says, “The Lord said to my Lord, “**Sit at my right hand**,³⁵ until I make your enemies your footstool.””

Romans 8:34 NIV

*"Who then is the one who condemns? No one. Christ Jesus who died—more than that, who was raised to life—**is at the right hand of God** and is also **interceding for us.**"*

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#3:

JESUS WILL **RETURN**

Acts 1:11b

*This Jesus, who was taken up from you into heaven, **will come in the same way** as you **saw him go into heaven.**"*

Zechariah 14:4-5b-9 ESV

*On that day his feet shall **stand** on the **Mount of Olives** that lies before Jerusalem on the east, and **the Mount of Olives** shall be split in two from east to west by a very wide valley, so that one half of the Mount shall move northward, and the other half southward.*

Zechariah 14:4-5b,9 ESV

*Then **the Lord my God will come**, and all the holy ones with him.*

***And the Lord will be king** over all the earth. On that day the Lord will be one and his name one.*

**JESUS WILL
RETURN**

**WHAT DID
JESUS SAY
ABOUT HIS
SECOND
COMING?**

- ***VISIBLE***

Matthew 24:27 ESV

*For as lightning that comes from the east is **visible** even in the west, so will be **the coming of the Son of Man.***

**JESUS WILL
RETURN**

**WHAT DID
JESUS SAY
ABOUT HIS
SECOND
COMING?**

- **UNEXPECTED**

Matthew 24:36 ESV

*But about that day or hour **no one knows**, not even the angels in heaven, nor the Son, **but only the Father.***

**JESUS WILL
RETURN**

**WHAT DID
JESUS SAY
ABOUT HIS
SECOND
COMING?**

- **SUDDEN**

Matthew 24:44 ESV

*So you also must be **ready**, because the Son of Man will come at an hour when you do **not expect** him.*

**JESUS WILL
RETURN**

**WHAT DID
JESUS SAY
ABOUT HIS
SECOND
COMING?**

- **GLORIOUS**

Matthew 25:31 | ESV

*“When the Son of Man **comes in his glory**, and all the angels with him, He will **sit on his glorious throne.**”*

**JESUS WILL
RETURN**

**WHAT DID
JESUS SAY
ABOUT HIS
SECOND
COMING?**

- **AND LOUD**

Matthew 24:30-31 | ESV

*³⁰Then will **appear** in heaven the sign of the Son of Man, and then all the tribes of the earth will mourn, and they will **see** the Son of Man **coming** on the **clouds** of heaven **with power and great glory.***

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Matthew 24:30-31 | ESV

*And he will send out **his angels with a loud trumpet call**, and they will **gather** his elect from the four winds, from one end of heaven to the other.*

**JESUS WILL
RETURN**

**WHAT DID
JESUS SAY
ABOUT HIS
SECOND
COMING?**

- ***Warns us...***

Matthew 24:6 ESV

*And you will hear of wars and rumors of wars. **See that you are not alarmed**, for this must take place, but the end is not yet.*

**JESUS WILL
RETURN**

**WHAT DID
JESUS SAY
ABOUT HIS
SECOND
COMING?**

- ***Warns us...***

Matthew 25:13 ESV

Watch therefore, for you know
neither the day nor the hour.

Mark 13:33-34 ESV

³³ **Be on guard, keep awake.** For you do not know when the time will come. ³⁴ It is like a man going on a journey, when he leaves home and puts his servants in charge, each with his work, and commands the doorkeeper to **stay awake**. ³⁵ Therefore **stay awake**—for you do not know when the master of the house will come, in the evening, or at midnight, or when the rooster crows, or in the morning— ³⁶ lest he come suddenly and find you asleep. ³⁷ And what I say to you I say to all: **Stay awake.**”



- ***The Eastern Gate***

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CREED

#4:

JESUS WILL COME TO
JUDGE THE LIVING
AND THE DEAD

2 Timothy 4:1 ESV

*I charge you in the presence of God and of Christ Jesus, **who is to judge the living and the dead**, and by his appearing and his kingdom:*

John 3:16 ESV

*16 “For God so loved the world, that **he gave** his only Son, that whoever **believes** in him should not perish **but have eternal life.***

John 3:17 ESV

*17 For God **did not send** his Son into the world to **condemn** the world, but in order that the world **might be saved** through him.*

John 3:18 ESV

*Whoever **believes** in him is not condemned, but whoever **does not believe** is condemned already, because he has not believed in the name of the only Son of God.*

John 3:36 ESV

Whoever **believes** in the Son **has eternal life**;
whoever **does not obey** the Son shall not see life, **but**
the wrath of God remains on him.

Matthew 25:46 ESV

*And these will go away into **eternal punishment**,
but the righteous into **eternal life.**”*

2 Corinthians 5:9-10 ESV

⁹ So whether we are at home or away, **we make it our aim to please him.**

¹⁰ For we **must all appear** before **the judgment seat of Christ**, so that each one may receive what is due for what he has done in the body, whether good or evil.

Romans 8:1 ESV

*“There is therefore now **no condemnation** for those **who are in Christ Jesus.**”*

Revelation 22:12 ESV

*“And behold, **I am coming quickly**, and My reward is with Me, to give to every one according to his work.*

Acts 10:42-43 ESV

*⁴²And He commanded us to **preach** to the people, and to **testify** that it is **He** who was ordained by **God to be Judge of the living and the dead.***

*⁴³To Him all the prophets witness that, through His name, **whoever believes** in Him will **receive remission_[1] of sins.**”*

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PRIEST

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the right hand of
God the Father
Almighty

JUDGE

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Matthew 24:14 ESV

And **this gospel** of the kingdom will be **proclaimed** throughout the whole world as a testimony to all nations, and then **the end will come.**

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