



God's Mission ACCOMPLISHED

Jesus' Return
May 28th, 2023

Reflect + Discuss

- When you think about your calendar—what are some things coming up that you're excited about? Are there any things coming up that you're worried about?
- When you consider Jesus' return, what kind of feelings pop up? Does it feel far off or near? Does it cause hope or worry?
- Read 1 Corinthians 13:12 and James 5:7-8. What do you notice? What questions do you have?
- What are some of the ways you get distracted by the world or culture? Are there certain things that catch your attention and drift your focus away from God and His kingdom?
- If you could know for sure that Jesus was coming back 1, 5, or 10 years from now, are there any ways you would change your life in the meantime? How would you change your priorities or the way you spend your time or money?
- What are some ways you can live more for the eternal mission God is working to accomplish? How can you combat the distractions, grief, and pain that can take us off track?

Pray

- Pray against distractions that may take your focus away from God and His mission, getting specific if you can. Ask for the Holy Spirit's help to stay undistracted and on mission while we're living in the Broken In-Between time. Ask for him to help you keep your eyes on hope in the midst of the sin, brokenness, pain, and evil we experience in this life.

Next Steps

- Check out the [Live this Book resource page](#) for more next steps and send your questions about the message to podcast@blackhawkchurch.org.