

Welcome to Plymouth First Baptist Church

The Lord's Day, October 10, 2021

Southern Baptist Sunday!

But now Lord, what do I look for? My hope is in you. Psalm 39:7

9:45 AM Sunday School

10:50 AM Church Family Announcements

11 AM Morning Worship

Prelude		B.J. Lyle
Welcome		Pastor Paul
*Praise Songs	<i>“Just a Closer Walk with Thee” – “Sweet Beulah Land”</i>	
Remembrance and Prayer		Pastor Paul
Responsive Reading	Psalm 37:1-11	
Ministry in Music	<i>“Turn Your Radio On”</i>	
*Hymn #318	<i>“I Believe in a Hill Called Calvary”</i> vv. 1,2,3	
Presentation of Offerings		
Pastoral Prayer		
Special Music	<i>“Midnight Cry”</i>	Jim Sawyer
Sermon	Jesus is Coming Back! Are You Ready?	Pastor Paul
*Closing Hymn #772	<i>“When We All Get to Heaven”</i> vv. 1,3	

“*” indicates the congregation should stand.

You are welcome to use the church wi-fi! The password is– psqvcvk4xr3cf5

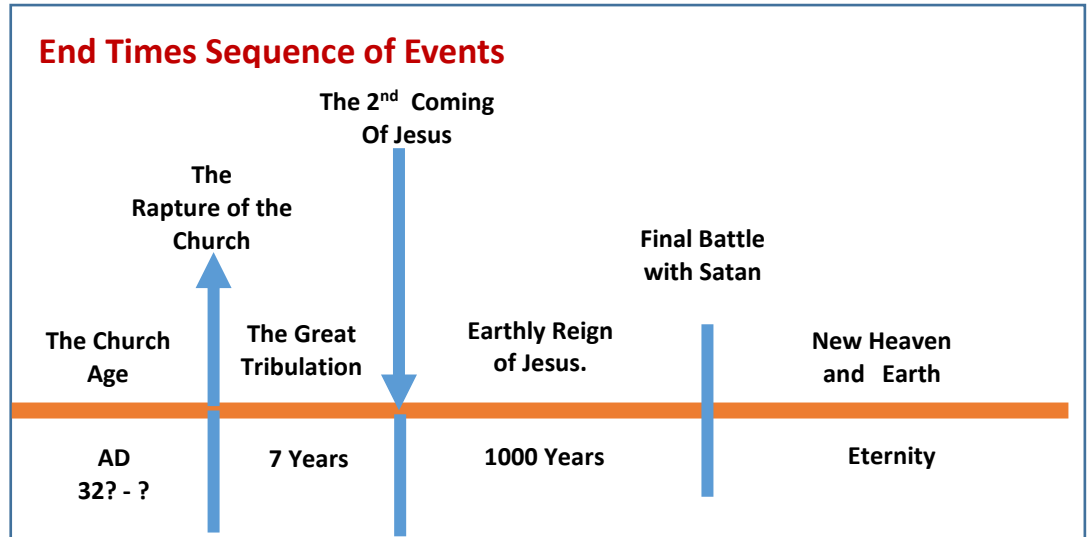
Sermon: Jesus is coming back! Are you ready?

Scriptures: Acts 1:6-11; Matt. 24:14; Rev. 13:5-18; 1 Thess. 4:13-18, 5:1-6; Matt. 24:40-41; 2 Thes. 2:1-12; Rev. 19:11-14; 2 Peter 3:11-14

Around the year AD 32, after some final words to his remaining disciples, Jesus ascended to heaven. As the disciples were looking into the sky, two men in white appeared to them and made the promise that Jesus would return one day- in the same way they saw him leave!

This is the wonderful promise that all followers of Jesus hold onto. Jesus Is Coming Back! The question is- are we ready?

By direction of God the Fathers timing, Jesus alone has the authority to start the events of what we call the last days events beginning with the rapture of the church.



What kind of people ought we to be?

Imagine His Return Acts 1:9-11

by Charles Stanley

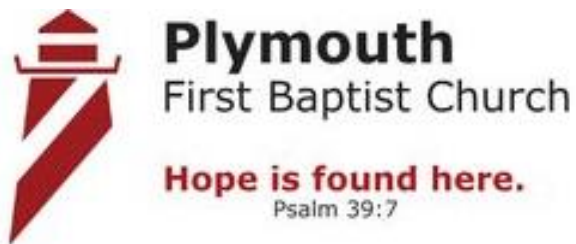
Movies can be so absorbing that we are easily “transported” until the final credits thrust us back to real life. Yet more amazing than any film is what Christians will experience at Jesus’ return. The apostle Paul urges believers to become familiar with what will occur at that remarkable time (**1 Thessalonians 4:13**). Just imagine.

- **What we will hear:** Jesus “will descend from heaven with a shout” (v. 16). Perhaps the Lord will say something similar to the words He spoke when raising Lazarus back to life: “Come forth!” (**John 11:43**). The voice of the archangel Michael—the leader of the angelic host—and a heavenly trumpet will also be heard, calling the saints to assemble.

- **What we will see:** The Lord will come down from above (**Acts 1:11**), to be met in the air by newly resurrected deceased saints and then, a moment later, by “translated” living believers.

- **What we will feel:** Though it’s impossible to know exactly what the experience will be like, we can expect it to be magnificent. We’ll be transformed physically: unlike our present body, our new form won’t be susceptible to pain, sin, sickness, or death. And in an instant, we will be brought into the presence of our heavenly Father, to remain with Him eternally. It’s not hard to become disheartened by the materialism, selfishness, and hopelessness of this world. However, we can encourage one another—and ourselves— with a reminder about Jesus’ return (**1 Thess. 4:18**). So, when hardships get you down, think about this exciting event in your future. The best is yet to be!

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Senior Pastor – Rev. Paul T. Harrington
Choir Director – Scott Bradshaw
Organist – B.J. Lyle
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