

The Story

The End of Time

Sherwood Oaks Christian Church

Week of May 10, 2009

Here are some discussion questions that you may enjoy spending time on after hearing Tom preach Sunday on this potentially confusing topic.

1. How do you feel about skipping ahead to end of a book?
2. If YOU could write the last chapter of the history of the world, what would YOU want to see happen?
3. What kinds of ideas and stories have you heard about “The End of Time”? Perhaps they come from scripture or movies or other religions. There are a lot of ideas out there; what have you heard?
4. Let’s face it; even Tom isn’t exactly sure what will happen and how they will happen. Are there any specifics about the end of time that you’re *positive* about 100%? Why or why not?
5. There have been various prophecies and predictions where people interpreted scripture to mean that either the world would end or Jesus would return on specific dates. Several of those dates have come and gone. What would you do differently if you *knew* that Jesus was returning or that the world was ending tomorrow?
6. In the message on a sign that says “Repent! The end is near!” which part of that message is the most important? Why?
7. Whether the whole world ends or a person is “simply” facing his own death, is there something one should do to be prepared?
8. Are you prepared?