

Feb 27: End in Sight

Icebreaker:

When you viewed the sermon title, what was your first thought?

Message Bible Text: Mark 8:31-38

Discussion Questions:

- 1. Have you figured out the numbers of days you might have left to live?
- 2. What would be a difficult thing for you to give up/deny yourself?
- 3. Who or what would you be willing to die for? Mark 8:36.

Supplemental Bible Texts: Reference Isaiah 53; Ecclesiastes 3:2,11

Discussion Questions:

- 1. Have you ever been to a meaningful funeral? If so, what made it impactful?
- 2. Share how you speak Jesus in your daily life. Brainstorm ideas on ways that we can speak Jesus to those whom we encounter.

Take-Home Thoughts:

- There is nothing meaningful under the sun. However, under the Son, everything has incredible meaning.
- Following Jesus is always a full time commitment.

Prayer Requests (use the extra bullets to place your own requests or your small group's requests):

- Give thanks for the hope that we have in Christ!
- Pray for those who have no hope. Matt 18:14
- Pray for the people in Ukraine.
- Pray for discernment regarding the denominational decision.
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Memory Verse:

Mark 8:34b – "If anyone would come after me, he must deny himself and take up his cross and follow me."