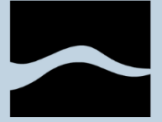


# SERMON NOTES

ZEPHANIAH: GOD OF JUDGMENT

**MAJOR ON THE MINOR**



**BIG IDEA:** The Day of the Lord is coming, you can't run away, hide, or stop it, but you can be ready.

# APPLICATION GUIDE

May 14, 2023

## DISCUSS

What is the Day of the Lord? How does Zephaniah describe it (cf. 1:14-18; 2:8; 3:11-20)?

Read 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11. Write out how this passage encourages you to live in light of the coming Day of the Lord.

## APPLY

How does your heart instinctively react to the wrath of God? Does Zephaniah's message correct your response in any way?

Does the thought of coming before the judgment seat of Christ make you fearful? Why or why not? (cf. Romans 14:10; 1 Corinthians 3:11-15).

What are some examples (positive or negative) of what the Day of the Lord might expose concerning our good works? (1 Corinthians 3:11-15)

How does your heart instinctively react to the wrath of God? Does Zephaniah's message correct your response in any way?

Would you change anything in your life if you knew that the Lord would return today?

## COMMIT

Write down someone's name who would stand guilty if the Day of the Lord came today. Pray for that person's salvation and that God would give you Gospel opportunity.