

Invite your spouse or an older child to step out of the room. Before they go, whisper to them when you want them to return (in 60 seconds, for example). Invite the others to write down when they think he or she will return. Did they guess correctly? Read Matthew 24:36. How should Christians live if we don't know when Jesus will return?

God's Plan for the Church Is Fulfilled

Christ's Return Is Anticipated

2 Thessalonians 1–3

Preschool

Key Passage: Revelation 22:12-13

Big Picture Question: When will Jesus come back? Only God knows when Jesus will return.

Christ Connection: *No one knows when Jesus will return, except for God. But Christians should be ready for Him. When Jesus comes back, people who do not believe in Him will be punished for their sin. But everyone who trusts in Jesus will be rescued!*

Kids

Key Passage: Revelation 22:12-13

Big Picture Question: When will Jesus return to earth? No one knows when Jesus will return except God Himself.

Christ Connection: *No one but God knows when Jesus will return, but Christians should be ready for Him. When Jesus returns, unbelievers will be punished for their sin and those who trust in Jesus as Lord and Savior will be saved.*

