## Series: "HEAVEN, HELL \& THE END OF THE WORLD" Part 5: "THE FINAL JUDGMENT" Crossroads Community Church April 23, 2017

${ }^{11}$ Then I saw a great white throne and him who was seated on it. The earth and the heavens fled from his presence, and there was no place for them. ${ }^{12}$ And I saw the dead, great and small, standing before the throne, and books were opened. Another book was opened, which is the book of life. The dead were judged according to what they had done as recorded in the books. ${ }^{13}$ The sea gave up the dead that were in it, and death and Hades gave up the dead that were in them, and each person was judged according to what they had done.

Revelation 20:11-13 (NIV)

## What Will Happen at The Final Judgment?

1. $\qquad$ will be judge
${ }^{22}$ Moreover, the Father judges no one, but has entrusted all judgment to the Son...
${ }^{27}$ And he has given him authority to judge because he is the Son of Man. John 5:22, 27 (NIV)
${ }^{31}$ For he has set a day when he will judge the world with justice by the man he has appointed. He has given proof of this to everyone by raising him from the dead.

Acts 17:31 (NIV)
2. $\qquad$ will be judged
${ }^{11}$ It is written: "'As surely as I live,' says the Lord, 'every knee will bow before me; every tongue will acknowledge God., ", ${ }^{12}$ So then, each of us will give an account of ourselves to God.

Romans 14:11-12 (NIV)
$>$ We will be judged for what we have $\qquad$
${ }^{10}$ For we must all appear before the judgment seat of Christ, so that each of us may receive what is due us for the things done while in the body, whether good or bad.

2 Corinthians 5:10 (NIV)
${ }^{2}$ There is nothing concealed that will not be disclosed, or hidden that will not be made known. ${ }^{3}$ What you have said in the dark will be heard in the daylight, and what you have whispered in the ear in the inner rooms will be proclaimed from the roofs.

Luke 12:2-3 (NIV)
$>$ Those who have $\qquad$ Jesus will be $\qquad$
${ }^{13}$ The sea gave up the dead that were in it, and death and Hades gave up the dead that were in them, and each person was judged according to what they had done. ${ }^{14}$ Then death and Hades were thrown into the lake of fire. The lake of fire is the second death. ${ }^{15}$ Anyone whose name was not found written in the book of life was thrown into the lake of fire.

Revelation 20:13-15 (NIV)
${ }^{5}$ But because of your stubbornness and your unrepentant heart, you are storing up wrath against yourselffor the day of God's wrath, when his righteous judgment will be revealed.
${ }^{8}$ But for those who are self-seeking and who reject the truth and follow evil, there will be wrath and anger.

Romans 2:5, 8 (NIV)

## $>$ Those who have

$\qquad$ Jesus will be $\qquad$
The time has come for judging the dead, and for rewarding your servants the prophets and your people who revere your name, both great and small-and for destroying those who destroy the earth.

Revelation 11:18 (NIV)
${ }^{1}$ Therefore, there is now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus

Romans 8:1 (NIV)
${ }^{12}$ For I will forgive their wickedness and will remember their sins no more.

Hebrews 8:12 (NIV)
${ }^{8}$ For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith-and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God- ${ }^{9}$ not by works, so that no one can boast.

Ephesians 2:8-9 (NIV)

## 3. Everyone will be given their

$\qquad$ destination

34 "Then the King will say to those on his right, 'Come, you who are blessed by my Father; take your inheritance, the kingdom prepared for you since the creation of the world.

41 "Then he will say to those on his left, 'Depart from me, you who are cursed, into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels.

46 "Then they will go away to eternal punishment, but the righteous to eternal life."

Matthew 25:34, 41, 46 (NIV)

## 3 Reasons The Final Judgment is Good News

## 1. No one will be <br> $\qquad$ judged

"Hallelujah! Salvation and glory and power belong to our God, ${ }^{2}$ for true and just are his judgments."

> Revelation 19:1b-2a (NIV)
${ }^{19}$ Now we know that whatever the law says, it says to those who are under the law, so that every mouth may be silenced and the whole world held accountable to God.

Romans 3:19 (NIV)
${ }^{3}$ This is good, and pleases God our Savior, ${ }^{4}$ who wants all people to be saved and to come to a knowledge of the truth.

1 Timothy 2:3-4 (NIV)

## 2. It satisfies our

$\qquad$ for justice
${ }^{25}$ Anyone who does wrong will be repaid for their wrongs, and there is no favoritism.

Colossians 3:25 (NIV)
${ }^{19}$ Do not take revenge, my dear friends, but leave room for God's wrath, for it is written: "It is mine to avenge; I will repay," says the Lord.

Romans 12:19 (NIV)
3. It motivates us to $\qquad$ differently

## Sermon Notes:

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- It allows us to $\qquad$ freely

