

# Graduation Sunday 2026

## Ecclesiastes 12

### Opening Icebreakers

1. What's one piece of advice you would give your 18-year-old self?
2. What's something you thought would make you happy when you were younger that didn't deliver like you expected?

### Digging Into Scripture

3. Read Ecclesiastes 12:1. Why do you think Solomon emphasizes remembering God while we are young?
4. What are some of the distractions that pull people away from God as they get older?
5. Read Ecclesiastes 12:2–7. Which word picture or metaphor stood out to you the most and why?
6. What is Solomon trying to teach us about life, aging, and eternity through these images?
7. Read Ecclesiastes 12:8. What does Solomon mean when he says, "Everything is meaningless"?
8. Read Ecclesiastes 12:13–14. Why is "fear God and keep His commandments" the conclusion of the whole book?
9. How does remembering eternity change the way we live today?

### Personal Reflection & Application

10. What are you most tempted to build your life around right now?
11. Have you ever chased something you thought would satisfy you only to discover it left you empty?
12. What does it practically look like to "remember your Creator" in everyday life?

### Living It Out

13. What is one practical way you can prioritize your relationship with Jesus this week?
14. What is one temporary thing you may need to stop obsessing over?
15. Who in your life needs to hear about Jesus before it's too late?
16. How can you live more intentionally with eternity in mind this week?

### Prayer Time

- Ask God to help you focus on eternal things instead of temporary things.
- Pray for students and graduates to follow Jesus wholeheartedly.
- Ask God to help you boldly share the Gospel with others.