

October 25, 2026

8:40 AM

AFTERLIFE

Afterlife #3: Is Heaven Real?

Welcome

Fernando Pacheco

Rejoice

Shive/Fowler/Getty/Getty/Peterson

Who Else

Gamboa/Funderburk/Rowe

Offering Moment

Tim Jackson

Song for the Offering

You've Already Won

Fowler/Barnard

Message

Mike Ramos

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Song of Response

Revelation Song

Riddle

Recognition of Decisions

Mike Ramos

Next Steps

Benediction

I've Got the Joy

Laudate

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Big Idea: Heaven is not wishful thinking. It is a promised reality secured by the resurrection of Jesus.

1. Heaven is real because Jesus said it is real.

John 14:1–3, 5–6

Jesus promises a place for His people in His Father's house. Our confidence in Heaven rests on the trustworthiness of Jesus.

2. Heaven is real because Jesus rose from the dead.

1 Corinthians 15:14, 20; 15:54–57

The resurrection is the foundation of our hope. Jesus is the firstfruits—the promise of resurrection life for those who belong to Him. Death does not get the final word.

3. Do not believe the enemy's caricature of Heaven.

Heaven is the absence of evil and the unhindered presence of God. Everything that corrupts God's good gifts will be removed. Our relationships will be healed, not erased.

4. Heaven is life forever in the presence of God.

Revelation 21:1–5; 1 John 3:2; Philippians 3:20

God will make all things new. There will be no more death, mourning, crying, or pain. Our eternal hope helps us hold earthly things with open hands.

5. Heaven is promised but must be received through Christ.

Romans 3:23–25

We cannot earn our way to Heaven. Salvation is God's gift of grace, received through repentance and faith in Jesus. Only Jesus saves.

My Response

Do I belong to Jesus? How should the hope of Heaven change the way I live today?

NEXT STEPS

COMMUNITY

Sundays, 9:45am: Find a Sunday School Group that's right for you! Everyone is invited, and no sign-up is required. For a list of Sunday School groups, visit the Welcome Desk or go to snydermbc.com/sundayschool.

DISCOVERY CLASS

November 15, 10am, Meeting Room (D1109): Whether this is your first time or you've been coming for a while, we'd love to tell you more about Snyder and how you can get involved! Discovery class is an opportunity to hear about Snyder's mission, history, and values in an informational and interactive setting.

EVENTS

This Morning:

Recommendation forms for our upcoming class of Deacons are available through October 25. We kindly ask members to avoid discussing recommendations with potential nominees. Forms will be at the Welcome Desk, Church Office, online via QR code or the link in The Bell.

This Afternoon:

3:30-4:45pm - Youth Praise Band

4:45-6:00pm - Youth Choir

6:00-8:00pm - Youth LifeGroups

Upcoming:

November 3-6 - Southeast Kentucky Mission Trip: We're heading back to SE Kentucky to serve alongside our ministry partner! This time, we'll be packing Christmas boxes for children in some of the poorest counties in America. Cost: \$150. Download an Application (found in The Bell or online) or pick one up outside Susie's office.

Candy Needed for Fall Fest on Friday, October 30, 5-7pm. Help make Fall Fest extra sweet by donating candy for Trunk or Treat! Bring donations to the Gathering Hall or other candy donation bins around the church!

Also... if you would like to volunteer, just scan the QR code or call the Church Office!

WAYS TO GIVE

Online

Visit snydermbc.com/giving or scan the QR Code.



Cash or Check

1. Place cash or check in the offering plate as it passes or in the Offering Boxes at the entrances.
2. Mail a check or drop it off at the Church Office.
3. Set up an automated Bank Draft.
Visit snydermbc.com/give to learn more.

SERVICE TIMES

8:40am, Modern Service, Fellowship Hall

9:45am, Sunday School for all ages

11am, Traditional Service, Fellowship Hall

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