## The Last Days-Part 2 Pastor Beck Payne August 12<sup>th</sup>, 2020

Scripture: 2. Timothy 3:1-5

## FIVE TRUTHS CONCERNING THE LAST DAYS

1. The "Last Days" began over 2,000 years ago.

Scripture: Acts 2:16 Scripture: Hebrews 1:2 Scripture: I. John 2:18

2.As each day passes, we are moving closer to the last of the last days.

3.The signs and seasons in which Jesus describes will only intensify and become more frequent in the last of the last days.

Scripture: Matthew 24:8

4.The Last Days will be difficult.

5.The Last Days will reveal inner evil characteristics of people

- A. Lovers of Self (narcissistic)
- B. <u>Lovers of Money</u> (materialistic)
- C. <u>Boastful</u> (drawing attention to themselves)
- D. <a href="Proud/Arrogant">Proud/Arrogant</a> (inflated view of self)
- E. Scoffing at God
- F. <u>Disobedient to their parents</u> (rebellious)
- G. <u>Ungrateful</u> (entitlement)
- H. Unholy

*I.* <u>Unloving</u>

Scripture: John 13:35

Scripture: I. Corinthians 13:1-7

J. <u>Unforgiving</u>

Scripture: Matthew 18:21-35

Scripture: Ephesians 4:32

K. Slanderous (distorting what others say and do, twisting truth)

L. No Self-Control (slave to your appetites)

Scripture: Galatians 5:17-25

Scripture: Proverbs 25:28

Scripture: Galatians 5:22-23

M. <u>Cruel</u> (dead to tenderness)

N. <u>Hate what is good</u> (unable to see moral beauty)

Scripture: Isaiah 5:20

O. Betray their friends

Scripture: Proverbs 17:17

P. RECKLESS

Q. Puffed up with pride/Conceited

Scripture: Philippians 2:3-9

R. Pleasure lovers rather than God lovers

S. Religious instead of regenerated

Scripture: 2. Timothy 3:5b

Scripture: I. Corinthians 5:11-13

Living in the Last Days requires us

- 1. To be discerning.
- 2. To be <u>yearning</u>.
- 3. To be about the Father's business.
- 4. To be full of the power of God.

Scripture: Acts 1:8

5. To Be equipped with the Word of God.

Scripture: Ephesians 6:13-18

6. To be connected with the people of God.

Scripture: Hebrews 10:25