

**FJT- November 17th, 2020**  
**The Last Judgement**

1. Are there any lingering questions from last week's scripture or message?

**Matthew 25:31-46**

<sup>31</sup> "When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, then he will sit on the throne of his glory. <sup>32</sup> All the nations will be gathered before him, and he will separate people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats, <sup>33</sup> and he will put the sheep at his right hand and the goats at the left. <sup>34</sup> Then the king will say to those at his right hand, 'Come, you that are blessed by my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world; <sup>35</sup> for I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, <sup>36</sup> I was naked and you gave me clothing, I was sick and you took care of me, I was in prison and you visited me.' <sup>37</sup> Then the righteous will answer him, 'Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry and gave you food, or thirsty and gave you something to drink? <sup>38</sup> And when was it that we saw you a stranger and welcomed you, or naked and gave you clothing? <sup>39</sup> And when was it that we saw you sick or in prison and visited you?' <sup>40</sup> And the king will answer them, 'Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family, <sup>41</sup> you did it to me.' <sup>41</sup> Then he will say to those at his left hand, 'You that are accursed, depart from me into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels; <sup>42</sup> for I was hungry and you gave me no food, I was thirsty and you gave me nothing to drink, <sup>43</sup> I was a stranger and you did not welcome me, naked and you did not give me clothing, sick and in prison and you did not visit me.' <sup>44</sup> Then they also will answer, 'Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and did not take care of you?' <sup>45</sup> Then he will answer them, 'Truly I tell you, just as you did not do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to me.' <sup>46</sup> And these will go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous into eternal life."

2. Christ the King- a day to proclaim God's reign. Does anyone know the history of Christ the King Sunday?
3. What is the significance about the sheep and the goats?
4. This is often a parable about judgement. How do you understand the judgement Jesus shares in his parables versus the grace freely given to us by God?
5. Is it possible to be a "sheep?" Or are we always going to be a "goat?"
6. Do you pick and choose when you serve or care for others, or how you serve and care for others? Do some come more naturally than others?
7. Do you think about Jesus when you see other people, especially those who you are in need?
8. This is the final "teaching" from Jesus before he is crucified. What is the final message?
9. How does this Scripture relate to Christ the King Sunday?
10. Is this a message about what to say, or what to do?
11. Charity verses justice- what is the difference? How do we make a difference for both?