

THE FIRST LETTER OF PETER

SERMON DATE: 10/29/2023

PREACHER: Chris Martin

TEXT: 1 Peter 4:1-11

FATHOM CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- **24-HOUR PRAYER VIGIL** On November 4-5 we're praying for 24 hours straight for the Future of Fathom. Please sign up for an hour slot at fathomchurch.org/pray and join us on Nov. 5th at 4pm for First Sunday Prayer to celebrate, worship, and pray together!
- **BAPTISMS** are happening in-between services on Sunday, November 5 (10:10am). Please stay after first service or come early to second service to cheer on, support, and witness this external picture of the inward work Christ has done in these folks!

QUESTIONS:

1. Have someone in the group summarize the main point/sub points that were preached from Sunday's text. Were there any big things that the Lord revealed to you as you listened and reflected?
2. How does knowing that Christ suffered on the cross HELP YOU when you find yourself in times of trials and suffering?
3. Why do you think the Bible always starts with the INDICATIVE (what God has done) before it moves to the IMPERATIVE (what we are to do)?
4. Pastor Chris said, "In suffering we have the choice of being obedient to Christ, OR sinning as a means of escaping suffering." Have you seen this choice before you in your life? How has that played out?
5. As you look back on your past, what DIRECTIONS have you taken that have DETERMINED your DESTINATION in a way you didn't like?
6. If you knew that Christ's Return was going to happen tomorrow...how would you live differently today?
7. What does knowing that Fathom is a place where we don't shoot our wounded mean to you?
8. How have you practiced confession in your life? How ought you to practice confession of sin?

