

# I N S Y N C

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## Order of Service | September 12, 2021

Worship Team..... Now Here

Welcome

Worship Team..... Where I'm Standing Now  
This Is Amazing Grace

Message..... Senior Pastor Jay Bruner  
*In Sync* (Week 4)

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## THE KEY TO LIVING IN RHYTHM

### **Ecclesiastes 3 - A Time for Everything**

*For everything there is a season, a time for every activity under heaven.*

*Yet God has made everything beautiful for its own time.*

*He has planted eternity in the human heart... Eccl. 3:1-8 & 11 (NLT)*

The Two Types of Rhythms:

Chronos (Seasons and Cycles) & Kairos (Moments)

## THE KEY TO LIVING IN SYNC WITH GOD'S RHYTHMS

*...He has planted eternity in the human heart... Ecclesiastes 3:11 (NLT)*

**Live every season, every day, and every moment with eternity in mind.**

*"For this is how God loved the world: He gave His one and only Son, so that everyone who believes in Him will not perish but have eternal life. God sent His Son into the world not to judge the world, but to save the world **through Him**." John 3:16-17 (NLT)*

*Since you have been raised to new life with Christ, set your sights on the realities of heaven, where Christ sits in the place of honor at God's right hand. **Think about the things of heaven, not the things of earth.***

**Colossians 3:1-2 (NLT)**

*For once you were full of darkness, **but now you have light from the Lord. So live as people of light! ...Carefully determine what pleases the Lord.** Ephesians 5:8 & 10 (NLT)*

**How to live life with eternity in mind? Do what pleases HIM!**

## **1. Love and honor HIM, and love people.**

*He answered, “Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind”; and, “Love your neighbor as yourself.” Luke 10:27 (NIV)*

Key questions to ask about each season and each moment:

What difference will this make “there”?

How can I make this season, this moment, matter “there”?

How can I love and honor God in this season?

How can I love and honor God at this moment?

How can I love people and help them know God at this moment?

*Therefore, my dear brothers and sisters, stand firm. **Let nothing move you.** Always give yourselves fully to the work of the Lord, because you know that your labor in the **Lord is not in vain.** 1 Cor. 15:58 (NIV)*

## **2. Praise Him in all seasons and situations, knowing what is to come.**

*Always be joyful. Never stop praying. Be thankful in all circumstances, for this is God’s will for you who belong to Christ Jesus.*

**1 Thessalonians 5:16-17 (NLT)**

*Out of His love for us, “For the Son of Man (Jesus Christ) came to seek and save those who are lost.” Luke 19:10 (NLT)*

**Going deeper on your own:** Set aside a quiet time to be alone with God and pray. Ask Him to help you begin to see life from an eternal perspective. Take a piece of paper and draw a line down the middle. On one side, write the heading, “What will I be glad to leave behind on this broken earth?” List things like suffering, disappointment, broken finances, the pain of a sinful world, etc. On the other side, “What I am really looking forward to?” Things like seeing my family, seeing Jesus, seeing people I introduced to Jesus Christ. Just because we live on earth, does not mean we will go to heaven. Read John 3:16-18, Matthew 7:21-22, and John 6:47. Ask yourself this simple question, what have I done with Jesus Christ? If you have never made Jesus Christ the Lord of your life, do it today.