



TRINITY
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This Week's Word

Matthew 22–28 This Week's Word

These chapters cover the final week of Jesus' public ministry through His death and resurrection. It moves from sharp confrontations in Jerusalem, through teaching on the end of the age and judgment, into the Passion, and ends with the empty tomb and the Great Commission.

Matthew 22 — Controversies in the Temple

"Render to Caesar... and to God"; love God and neighbor as the greatest commandments; Jesus as both Son of David and Lord.

Matthew 23 — Woes and Lament

Warning against religious show without substance; "Woe to you, hypocrites"; Jesus' sorrow over a city that will reject Him.

Matthew 24 — Olivet Discourse (Part 1) Teaching on the Mount of Olives

Signs of the times; "this generation will not pass away"; "watch therefore."

Matthew 25 — Olivet Discourse (Part 2) and Judgment Parables

Be ready; use what God has given; final judgment turns on response to Jesus as seen in care for the needy.

Matthew 26 — Betrayal, Last Supper, Arrest, and Trials

"This is my body... my blood"; "not as I will, but as you will"; "I am"; Peter's failure and Jesus' steadfastness.

Matthew 27 — Condemnation, Crucifixion, and Burial

"Crucify him!"; the darkness and the torn temple veil; the centurion's confession: "Truly this was the Son of God."

Matthew 28 — Resurrection and Commission

"He is not here, for he has risen"; "All authority... Go therefore..."; the risen Lord's presence with His people to the end of the age.

Taken together, these chapters show Jesus as the rejected yet authoritative King, the suffering Servant who fulfills Scripture, and the risen Lord who sends His followers into the world.

This Week's Reflections

What is God saying? How will I respond?