

# Space for God Yet We have Everything

## PREPARATION

When the earth quakes and its people live in turmoil, I am the one who keeps its foundations firm.

Psalms 75:3

## CONFESSION

The foundations of law and order have collapsed. What can the righteous do?"

**But the Lord is in his holy Temple; the Lord still rules from heaven. He watches everyone closely, examining every person on earth.**

Psalms 11:3-4

## WORSHIP

You are coming to Christ, who is the living cornerstone of God's temple. He was rejected by people, but he was chosen by God for great honor.

**And you are living stones that God is building into his spiritual temple. What's more, you are his holy priests. Through the mediation of Jesus Christ, you offer spiritual sacrifices that please God.**

1 Peter 2:4-5

## MEDITATION & CONTEMPLATION—Mark 13:1-8\*

As Jesus was leaving the Temple that day, one of his disciples said, "Teacher, look at these magnificent buildings! Look at the impressive stones in the walls."

### IN SOLITUDE AND/OR COMMUNITY

Read	Slowly, several times.
Reflect	What does the text say?
Respond	How does it relate to my life?
Rest	I welcome God's healing and renewal.

Jesus replied, "Yes, look at these great buildings. But they will be completely demolished. Not one stone will be left on top of another!"

Later, Jesus sat on the Mount of Olives across the valley from the Temple. Peter, James, John, and Andrew came to him privately and asked him, "Tell us, when will all this happen? What sign will show us that these things are about to be fulfilled?"

Jesus replied, "Don't let anyone mislead you, for many will come in my name, claiming, 'I am the Messiah.' They will deceive many. And you will hear of wars and threats of wars, but don't panic. Yes, these things must take place, but the end won't follow immediately. Nation will go to war against nation, and kingdom against kingdom. There will be earthquakes

in many parts of the world, as well as famines. But this is only the first of the birth pains, with more to come

## ANCHORING PRAYER

*"Lord, YOU are the Messiah."*

## REVIEW OF THE HEART (previous 24 hours)

*When was I most "impressed" by God?*

*In what way have I been misled or deceived recently?*

## WISDOM

*Genesis 3:13* Then the Lord God asked the woman, "What have you done?" "The serpent deceived me," she replied. "That's why I ate it."

*Romans 16:17b-18* Watch out for people who cause divisions and upset people's faith by teaching things contrary to what you have been taught. Stay away from them. Such people are not serving Christ our Lord; they are serving their own personal interests. By smooth talk and glowing words they deceive innocent people.

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## TESTIMONY *What is God saying to me?*

## INTERCESSION *Prayers for the Church, for others, and for me.*

## BENEDICTION

**O God, quicken to life every power within me, that I may lay hold of eternal things. Open my eyes that I may see; give me acute spiritual perception; enable me to taste Thee and know that Thou art good. Make heaven more real to me than any earthly thing has ever been. Amen.**

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## SPACE FOR GOD DAILY

Be still and quiet before God.

Seek the Holy Spirit's filling and

Speak and act from a listening heart.

Actively serve in community with others.