## The Apostles' Creed: He'll Be Back July 26, 2020

Start this time by reciting the Apostles' Creed. What is the purpose of a creed? What purpose can a creed serve in your walk with God?

- 1. Let's take a look at the phrase, "He ascended into heaven and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty." Read Acts 1:6-11. What is the significance of Jesus' ascension?
- 2. Jesus often spoke of himself as "the Son of Man," referring to Daniel 7:13-14. As one example of many, read Matthew 26:64. What is Jesus saying about himself?
- 3. Ascending to the right hand of God the Father puts Jesus in the position of being our Mediator. Read Romans 8:34 and Hebrews 7:25. How do these verses speak to your heart?
- 4. The next statement in the Apostles' Creed says: "From there he will come to judge the living and the dead." Read Luke 12:35-40 when Jesus is talking about his return. What is he motivating his disciples to do?
- Does Luke 12:40 encourage you or concern you? Why?
- 6. What is the hope found in 1 John 3:2? How does that encourage you?

