Jesus Predicts the Temple Destruction Matthew 24:1-14

Aim: To recognize the need to be vigilant, faithful, and diligent in service as we await Jesus' return.

Key Verse: "Do you see all these things?" he asked. "Truly I tell you, not one stone here will be left on another, everyone will be thrown down." Matthew 24:2

Lesson Concepts

- 1. It is good to stay with Christ and to let go of what he leaves behind. (v.1)
- 2. Seeing the fleeting nature of worldly glory helps us avoid overvaluing it. (v. 2)
- 3. When we are confused, seeking Jesus' wisdom is essential. (v.3)
- 4. Believers must stay discerning, vigilant, and faithful in Jesus. (Vv.4-5)
- 5. Christians must stand firm in faith despite hardship. (Vv.6-8)
- 6. Trials and persecution reveal the depth of our faith. (Vv.9-10)
- 7. In a broken world, false teachings and growing wickedness are inevitable. (Vv. 11-12)
- 8. Those who persevere will be saved. (Vv. 13-14)