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Scripture Passage: John 13:31–14:6 ESV

³¹ When he had gone out, Jesus said, “Now is the Son of Man glorified, and God is glorified in him. ³² If God is glorified in him, God will also glorify him in himself, and glorify him at once. ³³ Little children, yet a little while I am with you. You will seek me, and just as I said to the Jews, so now I also say to you, ‘Where I am going you cannot come.’ ³⁴ A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another: just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another. ³⁵ By this all people will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.”

³⁶ Simon Peter said to him, “Lord, where are you going?” Jesus answered him, “Where I am going you cannot follow me now, but you will follow afterward.” ³⁷ Peter said to him, “Lord, why can I not follow you now? I will lay down my life for you.” ³⁸ Jesus answered, “Will you lay down your life for me? Truly, truly, I say to you, the rooster will not crow till you have denied me three times.

“Let not your hearts be troubled. Believe in God; believe also in me. ² In my Father's house are many rooms. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? ³ And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, that where I am you may be also. ⁴ And you know the way to where I am going.” ⁵ Thomas said to him, “Lord, we do not know where you are going. How can we know the way?” ⁶ Jesus said to him, “I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.

“Sifting the Present Moment through the Lens of Scripture”
(John 13:31–14:6)

“The greatest gift the church can give to society is a glimpse, however fleeting, of another city”
~ Robert Louis Wilken

*I heard a thousand blended notes,
While in a grove I sat reclined,
In that sweet mood when pleasant thoughts
Bring sad thoughts to mind.*

*To her fair works did Nature link
The human soul that through me ran,
And much it grieved my heart to think
What man has made of man*

– William Wordsworth (1770–1850), “Lines Written in Early Spring”

The one who is the way, the truth, and the life, says his

_____ **will be known by their love for one another.**

In this cultural moment, we must . . .

- 1. Maintain our _____ to Scripture (2 Tim. 3:16; 2 Pet. 1:16–21; Ps. 12:6).**
- 2. Stand for _____ (Deut. 10:17–18; Ps. 10:17–18; Prov. 31:8–9, 21:13).**

The Christian faith is _____.

- 3. Watch our _____ (James 1:19–20; Prov. 13:3; Phil. 4:5).**

We must guard against _____ speech and _____ ideas.

- 4. Pray for _____ (1 Tim. 2:1–4; 1 Thess. 4:10–12).**
- 5. Love one _____ (1 John 4:7–11).**
- 6. Declare the _____ (Matt. 28:18–20).**