

Are We Ready for Christ's Return
1 Thessalonians 1:1-10

- I. We should be an encouraged church. 1:1-4**
 - 1. Be encouraged by the grace of God. 1:1
 - 2. Be encouraged by the faith of believers. 1:2-4

- II. We should be an exemplary church. 1:5-7**
 - 1. Set an example with your beliefs. 1:5
 - 2. Set an example with your actions. 1:6-7

- III. We should be an evangelistic church. 1:8-9**
 - 1. We must proclaim the gospel. 1:8
 - 2. God will provide the results. 1:9

- IV. We should be an expectant church. 1:10**
 - 1. Live for the Savior's return.
 - 2. Long for the Savior's rescue.