

A WORD ON WORSHIP

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THE KINGDOM COME

Acts 1:6-7 ⁶So when they had come together, they were asking Him, saying, "Lord, is it at this time You are restoring the kingdom to Israel?" ⁷He said to them, "It is not for you to know times or epochs which the Father has fixed by His own authority.

Jesus disciples knew the many Old Testament prophecies about a coming Kingdom. Jesus had preached that the Kingdom was at hand. They were anxious to know if today was the day. James and John wanted positions of authority in the Kingdom and to sit on Jesus' right and left hand. In Matt 6:9 Jesus even told His disciples to pray "Pray, then, in this way:



'Our Father who is in heaven, Hallowed be Your name. 'Your kingdom come. Your will be done, On earth as it is in heaven. They were expecting a Kingdom on earth with Jesus as King and the Father's will is done like it is in Heaven. The time seemed right.

When the disciples asked, Jesus did not refute the idea of a restored Kingdom to Israel. He only said it was not for them to know the time. After His death and resurrection they asked Him again. Now, sin had been dealt with, and now death was overcome. Everything would seem to be in place for the Kingdom to come immediately. However, the Kingdom was postponed until the Time of The Gentiles was completed. The Time of the Gentiles was brought on by Israel's rebellion against God and His commandments. Like other of God's Judgments, the Time of the Gentiles must be fulfilled as God directs. But the Kingdom Will Come.

What's Happening at Sunrise

July 30	8:45 AM	Thom Rachford Preaching
	10:30 AM	Second Hour
Aug. 1	7:00 PM	Christian Foundations Study at the Church
	WEEK 4:	The Church- <i>Why Should We Get Together?</i>

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