

**Finish Line Thinking and Land Between Living
Part Two**

1 Thessalonians 5:12-28

March 22, 2026

Knowing What's Coming

Knowing What's Expected

- Living Under Authority v.12-13a

- Living For Peace v.13b

- Living for Others v.14-15

- Living for God v.16-18

- Living Spirit Empowered v.19-22

- Living in the Sovereignty of God v.23-24

Make it Count: All in This Together!! v.25-28

Beyond Sunday...

Verse of the Week

*"Now may the God of peace himself sanctify you completely,
and may your whole spirit and soul and body
be kept blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ."*

1 Thessalonians 5:23

This week take time to engage and discover how believers can be encouragers to others. Read 1 Thessalonians 5:11-23 each day and then focus each day on specific ways you can encourage others...

Monday – v.11 – Build each other up v.12 – Respect Leaders
- v.13 Hold leaders in highest regard

Tuesday – v.13 – Live in peace v.14 – warn the idle

Wednesday – v.14 – encourage the timid, help the weak, be patient

Thursday – v. 15 – resist revenge v.16 – be joyful

Friday – v. 17 – pray continually v.18 – give thanks

Saturday – v.19 – do not put out the Spirit's fire
v. 23 – count on God's constant help

Engage

In what ways have you experienced the church to be like a family?
What responsibilities do the leaders have to the people in the church?
What responsibilities do the people in the church have to the leaders?
In what ways do you see the church working together as a team?
How can people in the church "put out the Spirit's fire?"
v.16-18 declare Rejoice, Pray, Give Thanks... How are doing?
Do you trust God? How do you know?

Our theme for 2026 is BEYOND

*"For, 'Yet a little while, and the coming one will come and will not delay;
but my righteous one shall live by faith,
and if he shrinks back, my soul has no pleasure in him.'
But we are not of those who shrink back and are destroyed,
But of those who have faith and preserve their souls."
Hebrews 10:37-39*