Sermon Notes

The final judgement

Revelation 20

Intro: An email I won't forget... "If I die as a Christian, what happens next?"

- 1. What's happening now: the worship war makes painful but secure progress... (20.1-6)
 - a) ...because Satan, though fighting, is <u>bound</u> in his ability to deceive all nations...
 - b) ...and Christians, though suffering in witness and worship of Jesus, live <u>safely</u> with Jesus in heaven's throne room after death

2. What's going to happen in the end: the final battle and judgement (21.7-15)

- a) Satan unleashed incites a final global rebellion... but God consigns him to eternal punishment
- b) And every single human being, both living and dead, is summoned to final judgement

Conclusion: so where does that leave me?

At terrible terrible risk? Or utterly utterly safe?