



# At Home Study Guide

For the week of February 7, 2021

*Our message, "It Is Written," covers Jesus' temptations from Matthew 4. Satan tempts Jesus with the empty pursuits of pleasure, popularity, and power. Each time Satan attacks Jesus, Jesus defends with the words, "It is written." Every word builds toward what Jesus did for us on the cross. by Reilly (Junior)*

1. Read Matthew 4:1–10. Jesus resisted Satan by responding to him "It is written" as a response to each temptation. Why are these three words such a powerful comeback?
2. Has there ever been a time in your life you felt stuck? Did you turn to God in that time of need? If yes, how did you turn to him? If not (that's ok), why not?
3. Read Romans 12:2. Everyone (even Christians) struggle with the temptation of sin because we forget that God is all good and he has a plan for us. How will you use this verse to fight the struggles you might have this week?
4. Think of an "I will" statement, committing to take action when/if you are falling into worldly desires and temptations. Be specific and realistic concerning yourself.

## ONE THING

Jesus fought temptation with truth.

Memorize a verse this week.

When tempted, respond like Jesus:

*"It is Written."*