

Prophecies of Christ in Isaiah

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Time: Wednesdays 7:00-8:00 PM ET

Class Size: No limit

Isaiah is possibly the most “New Testament” of Old Testament books. Written about 700 years before Christ’s birth, it prophesies the virgin birth, the tender humanity of Jesus, His ministry under the anointing of the Spirit, His death for redemption, His resurrection, and the building of the church based on Him as the cornerstone. As literature, the book is written beautifully. The imagery is dreamy. The depictions are vivid. Isaiah might be the best written, most consequential writing ever. We will study it. We will taste it. We will learn Christ from these beautiful words.

Week-by-week Syllabus:

1. An introduction to the setting of the book: sons who have refused their owner, the vineyard and promises of restoration through the Messiah (Chapters 1, 4, 6)
2. The virgin giving birth and the Son with the government on His shoulders (Chapters 7, 9)
3. Christ: the man with the Spirit and the cornerstone. Our enjoyment of His salvation in the church. (chapters 11-12, 28)
4. Christ, the Shepherd Servant (Chapters 40-42)
5. Christ the Servant (chapters 48-52)
6. Christ’s all redeeming death and resurrection (53)
7. The restoration and enjoyment of God’s salvation (chapters 54-55)
8. The Spirit of the Lord poured upon Christ and the treader of the winepress of God’s wrath (Chapter 61-63)
9. The city of light and the new heavens and earth (Chapters 60, 64-66)