John 17:1-5

Isaiah 49:1-7 John 12:27-36

Pressing Forward into 2022

- Our goals.
- What are we doing to pursue our goals?



15 May 2022

GOD Glorified through His Son Jesus Christ

- Catechism Questions and meditation
- Scripture Memorization and meditation

What have we learned in the previous weeks?

- God's Glorious Gospel. It is the good news. "Our God reigns". A message of victory, freedom, hope, new life and joy. It is the power of God unto salvation. THE PURPOSE IS TO BRING GLORY TO GOD
- Locating the Gospel in Eternity. The whole counsel of God is the Glorious Gospel, to fulfil HIS eternal purpose. THE PURPOSE IS TO BRING GLORY TO GOD
- The Glorious Gospel was determined before the foundation of the earth and that the Eternal Plan is being revealed by God. Eternity is NOW in the eyes of God. THE PURPOSE IS TO BRING GLORY TO GOD

John 17:1-5 God Glorified through the Son Jesus Christ

- Christ Jesus is the fulfilment of the Eternal Purpose of God Ephesians 1:9-12
- Through Christ Jesus we see who God is, what He has done and is doing and what He will do. This is the glorious gospel whose main purpose was to glorify the Father - John 17:1, John 17:5, Psalm 119:68
- Jesus Christ and the Father are One John 10:30
- This mystery has been made manifest according to the scriptures and commandments of the everlasting God Romans16:25-26, 1 Peter 1:19-20
- All things were to be fulfilled which were written in the Law of Moses and the Prophets and the Psalms concerning Him Luke 24:44

- So we ask ourselves how was God glorified through Jesus Christ? In creation, in His incarnation, ministry, total and perfect obedience to the Father, suffering, death, burial, resurrection, ascension, intercession, in Christ's return and judgement, the Church .
- When John saw Him in His glory, He fell at His feet like a dead man. He saw God the Son, the first and the last Revelation 1:17

Matthew 16:16 Jesus Christ the Son of the Living God

- Jesus Christ was present in the beginning before the foundation of the world and He was together with God the Father and God the Holy Spirit, in the beginning, Genesis 1:26, Ephesians 1:4-5; Romans 8:28-30; 2 Tim 1:8-9, Proverbs 8:22-31; John 1:1-5,10-12.
- The Son is the image of the invisible God. The Church, World empires, History, and time centred around Jesus Christ - Colossians 1:15-17
- Jesus Christ is the Word, who was in the beginning John 1:1-5, through Him all things were created
- He is the Son of David yet David Calls Him Lord Mathew 22:45, Psalms 110
- Before Abraham was I AM John 8:58
- He is God but He became man Philippians 2:7-8
- He is King but became a servant 1 Samuel 8:11, Mathew 20:28
- He is perfectly righteous but He was made Sin 2 Corinthians 5:21
- He is the Shepherd yet He is the Lamb who was slain by God Psalms 23, John 1:29, Isaiah 53:4-7

Isaiah 49:1-7 God's Sovereign works in the eternal plan seen in His Son Jesus Christ

 Jesus fulfils God's sovereign works and eternal plan through the fulfilled Prophecy of ancestry, birth, life & ministry, death, reign of Christ

Ancestry

- The Messiah would come from the line of Abraham, Genesis 12:3, Matthew 1:1*
- He would be preceded by Elijah Malachi 4:5-6, Mathew 11:13-14
- He would be heir to David's throne 2 Samuel 7:12-13, Luke 1:32-33
- He would come from the tribe of Judah Genesis 49:10, Luke 3:33* Birth
- He would be born of a woman Genesis 3:15, Mathew 1:20
- He would be born of a virgin Isaiah 7:14, Luke 1:26-31*

Life and Ministry

- A messenger would prepare the way for Him Isaiah 40:3-5, Luke 3:3-6*
- He would be called Immanuel Isaiah 7:14, Mathew 1:22-23
- He would spend a season in Egypt Hosea 11:1, Mathew 2:14-15
- He would speak in Parables Isaiah 6:9-10, Mathew 13:10-15*
- He would be Prophet Deuteronomy 18:15, Acts 3:20-22
- He would be praised by little children Psalms 8:2, Mathew 21:16
- He would be betrayed Zechariah 11:12-13, Mathew 26:14-16
- He would be hated without cause Psalm 35:19, John 15:24-25
- He was rejected by His own people Isaiah 53:3, Psalm 69:8*

Death

- The Messiah would be a sacrifice for sin Isaiah 53:5-12, Romans 5:6-8*
- His bones would not be broken Exodus 12:46, John 19:33-36
- He would be mocked and ridiculed Psalm 22:7-8, Luke 23:35
- He would be crucified with criminals Isaiah 53:7, Mark 15:4-5* Reign
- The Messiah would be Priest in the order of Melchizedek -Psalm 110:4, Hebrew 5:5-6
- His throne would be anointed and eternal Daniel 2:44, Hebrews 1:8-12*
- He would resurrect from the dead Psalm 49:15, Acts 2:22-32
- He would ascend from the dead Psalm 24:7-10, Luke 24:51
- He would be seated at the right hand of God Psalm 110:1, Mathew 22:44

What purpose did Jesus Christ come to the World for?

- Jesus came to do the will of the Father, With His last breath, He glorified God Hebrews 10:7, Luke 23:46, John 12:27-28
- It is God who chose to accomplish His eternal plan through the Son in order for the son to:-
- To appease the wrath of God 1 John 4:10
- Reconcile us to God, Romans 5:10, 2 Corinthians 5:19-20
- To become for us the place where we might meet God John 2:19-21
- To unleash the Power of God in the Gospel Romans 1:16
- Jesus Christ hands the Kingdom to God the Father- He returns the glory to God because He came to do His Fathers will Hebrews 10:7, 1 Corinthians 15:24
- For of Him and through Him and to Him are all things, to whom be glory forever -Romans 11:36

- Jesus is the way the truth and the Life. Jesus says, No one comes to the Father except through me John 14:6
- Jesus says, whoever accepts anyone I send accepts me; and whoever accepts me accepts the One who sent me. John 13:20, Mathew 10:40-42
- Jesus told us to learn from Him because He was meek and lowly -Luke 11:25-29
- Jesus Christ is the Son of God whom God was well pleased in and God told us to listen to Him Luke 9:35, Isaiah 53:10, Ephesians 5:2; Hebrews 1:1-2

What is the Only Acceptable response to the Gospel that is revealed through Jesus Christ?

- Continuously Repent Acts 20:21; Luke 13:1-5; Luke 24:47
- Believe God with all your heart (mind, will, and emotions) Acts 8:37; John 3:18, 36
- Submit to Christ as Lord Romans 10:9-10; Psalm 2:10-12
- Work Ephesians 2:8-10; Acts 26:19-20; Titus 2:14; James 2:14-26
- Be humble Clothe yourselves with humility (Proverbs 3:5-7)

Where We are Going in 2022

- Unpacking this good news from God that began in eternity past, unfolded beginning with Creation, was worked out through all of history, climaxed with incarnation, life, death on a cross, resurrection of the Son of God, and takes us into eternity future to the new heavens and new earth.
- You will need to hear all these messages. Each message will build on the one prior.
- Next week Bob Decreed Promise