

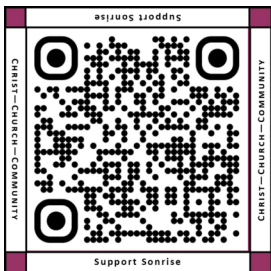
If you are planning to do the deep dive into Isaiah then pick up your **Isaiah Bible packet** and **Isaiah book outline** today.

WEDNESDAY January 15, Bible study at 6 p.m. —7 p.m. as we cover a deeper look at the weeks scriptures and answer your questions.

Women in the Word Saturday January 18, 10 a.m.

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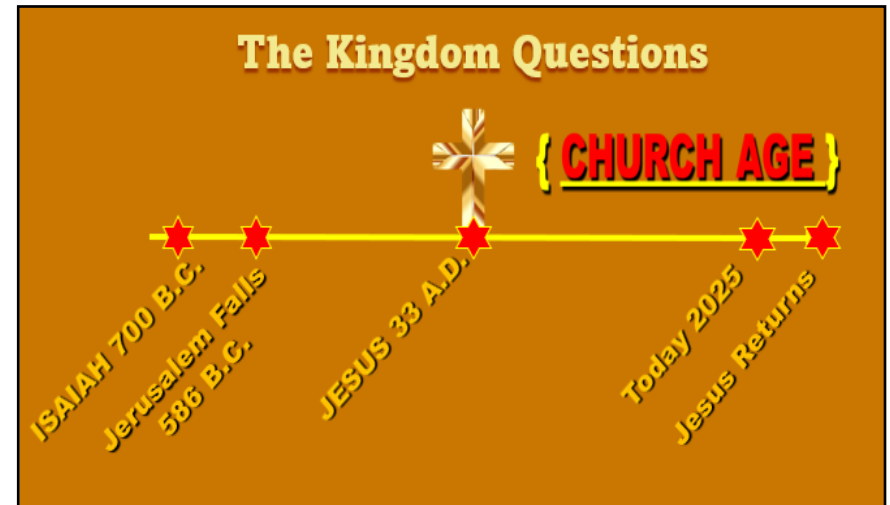
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**The Book of Isaiah
Week Two**

KINGDOMS IN CONFLICT

Now it will come about that in the last days, the mountain of the house of the LORD will be established as the chief of the mountains and will be raised above the hills, and all the nations will stream to it.
Isaiah 2.1

The KINGDOM QUESTION



- ◆ What Happens when Jesus _____ ?
- ◆ Is the _____ part of the Kingdom or just filling space?
- ◆ Where is the Kingdom of God (Heaven) _____ ?

Two Opposite Kingdom Views

EARTHLY KINGDOM

- ◆ Jesus returns to reign on _____ for 1,000 years.
- ◆ The _____ is reopened, and animal sacrifices are reestablished.*
- ◆ _____ people are given a special second chance to repent.
- ◆ The battle of _____ is fought, and then time is ended.
- ◆ _____ AND REWARDS!
- ◆ Called the _____ view.

HEAVENLY KINGDOM

- ◆ Jesus returns and all the believers are reunited with Him in _____ for eternity. 1 Thessalonians 4.17
- ◆ All the ungodly are _____, and the earth is destroyed. Matthew 25.46
- ◆ This is called the _____ view.

Built on Sinking Sand

- ◆ Daniel chapter Nine has a key prophecy we need to look at quickly this morning. It is about seventy weeks of years or _____.*
- ◆ Millennial teachers believe that the last week or seven years has been _____ until a future date. This was necessary because God had to have Jesus die for our sins and caused Him to _____ the earthly



This week, we are looking at the difference between the physical kingdom of the Old Testament and the spiritual kingdom of the New Testament. The phrases Kingdom of God and Kingdom of Heaven are interchangeable.

MONDAY: Read Matthew 13.31-33, 44. Why do you think Jesus used parables to describe the Kingdom? How do these help us understand the kingdom? What kingdom truths are found here?

TUESDAY: Read Matthew 6.33 and John 3.3. What priority does God put on the kingdom? Why do you think this is so important to God? How should this change how we live our lives?

WEDNESDAY: Read Romans 14.17 & 1 Corinthians 15.50-52 & Revelation 22.1-5. Progressively, what do we learn about our relationship and entering the Kingdom of God/heaven?

This week, we will also examine the cities of Sodom and Gomorrah and how Isaiah used them as an example of a nation sinning against God.

THURSDAY: Background Read Genesis 13.11-13; 18.22-33; 19.1-11. What do we learn about Sodom and Gomorrah from these sections of scripture? Read Genesis 19.23-25. What happened to Sodom and Gomorrah? Why did this happen?

FRIDAY: National sins exposed. Read Ezekiel 14–50. According to Ezekiel, what were the three sins of Sodom and Gomorrah? How did they demonstrate their sinful ways?

SATURDAY: Judah's sins and God's response. Read Isaiah 1.2-20 Vss. 2-8 How does God see the nation of Judah? Vss. 9 If they keep going like this, what is going to happen to them? Vs. 11-20, What are the people doing that they think will save them? What does God want them to do? Read Isaiah 3.9. How is Judah like Sodom? How will God respond?

Isaiah and the Kingdom of Jesus

- ◆ Isaiah is about _____ and _____ .
- ◆ Isaiah is about the hope of the savior.
- ◆ Isaiah is about the hope of the kingdom.
- ◆ Isaiah is about the hope of the church.
- ◆ Isaiah is about the judgment of the nation of Judah & Jerusalem.
- ◆ Isaiah is about the judgment of the wicked nations that surround them.
- ◆ Isaiah is about the judgment of the wicked that reject God in any time and any place.
- ◆ Isaiah is about the _____ of God (Heaven).

Three Key Questions Answered

- ◆ What Happens when Jesus Returns?
- ◆ Jesus will collect His _____ to receive their _____ and _____ the _____ .
- ◆ Is the _____ part of the Kingdom or just filling space?
- ◆ The Church is God's _____ here on earth. It is the extension of the Kingdom of God (Heaven) here on earth.*
- ◆ Where is the Kingdom of God (Heaven) located?
- ◆ Everyplace Jesus is so everywhere a Christian is, this is the where you will find this _____ .

Week TWO Summary

- ◆ First: This book is about _____ OF _____ and the _____ . That is your key fact for this SECOND lesson.
- ◆ Second: Using your _____ of Isaiah, you can discover what each section of Isaiah is about.

kingdom and fill this time with the church age until things got back on track.^

- ◆ This missing week is believed to be a coming _____ that will either precede or follow the 1,000 reign of Jesus in the temple in Jerusalem. #
- ◆ Matthew 7.24-27 _____ gives us directions to follow..

Rule #4—Jesus is BOSS!

- ◆ Jesus was brought before Pilate and questioned. John 19.33-37
- ◆ Vs. 33 Therefore Pilate entered again into the Praetorium, and summoned Jesus and said to Him, “Are You the _____ of the _____ ?”
- ◆ Pilate is asking if Jesus is an _____ of the Jews trying to take over and remove him from power.
- ◆ Vs. 34 Jesus answered, “Are you saying this on your _____ initiative, or did _____ tell you about Me?”
- ◆ Jesus challenges Pilate about the reason he is asking the question. Is this _____ , or is he merely acting on behalf of the Jews?
- ◆ Vs. 35 Pilate answered, “I am not a Jew, am I? Your _____ and the chief priests delivered You to me; what have You done?”
- ◆ Pilate was caught up in the drama and in his political position. He deflects and denies any _____ .

- ◆ Vs. 36 Jesus answered, “My _____ is _____ of this _____. IF My KINGDOM were of this world, then My servants would be fighting so that I would not be handed over to the Jews; but as it is, My _____ is _____ of this _____.”
- ◆ Jesus clearly states that His is not an EARTHLY KINGDOM. He is emphatic and states it twice.
- ◆ Jesus makes it clear _____ this was His KINGDOM there would we war.
- ◆ Vs. 37 Therefore Pilate said to Him, “So You are a _____ ?” Jesus answered, “You say _____ that I am a _____. For this I have been born, and for this I have come into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who is of the truth hears My voice.”
- ◆ Jesus is the _____ of the _____ of God (Heaven) who came to earth to die for our sins and to set up His church.
- ◆ Matthew 16.18 I will build _____ ; and the gates of Hades will not overpower it.

Isaiah and the Kingdom of Jesus

- ◆ Isaiah 2.1-5 is a picture of the Kingdom of Jesus. It is _____ an earthly kingdom, but a divine spiritual Kingdom where everyone is invited to _____ .
- ◆ Vs.2 Now it will come about that In the last days The _____ of the house of the LORD Will be _____ as the chief of the _____ , And will be raised above the hills; And all the nations will stream to it.

- ◆ This is **prophetic** and **poetic** language used to give a picture of the _____ and the Kingdom of God where Jesus rules as King.

Two Kingdom Views

PHYSICAL KINGDOM

- ◆ Kingdom of _____ Ephesians 2.2
- ◆ Territory: O. T. physical nation of _____
- ◆ Ruler: David, Solomon, _____ ...
- ◆ Subjects: anyone living in the _____
- ◆ Citizenship: Genesis 17.9-14 Circumcision of _____
- ◆ Armies: Numbers 1.1f _____ 20 yrs old
- ◆ Worship: Temple 1 Kings 6.1f _____
- ◆ Laws: O.T. Law of Moses (_____)
- ◆ Birth Right: Born a descendant of _____ .

SPIRITUAL KINGDOM

- ◆ Kingdom of _____ Ephesians 5.5
- ◆ Territory: N. T. The _____
- ◆ Ruler: _____ king of kings
- ◆ Subjects: _____ - _____ everywhere
- ◆ Citizenship Rom. 2.27-28, Eph. 3.19 Circumcision of _____
- ◆ Army: _____ Ephesians 6.1-18
- ◆ Worship: Temple Eph 2.19-20 _____
- ◆ Laws: N.T. Grace of Christ (_____)
- ◆ Birth Right: Born from above or _____ - _____ John 3.3