



OUR GOD SAVES

TURN BELIEVE LIVE

DISCUSSION GUIDE

WEEK ONE

INTRODUCING ISAIAH: TURN | BELIEVE | LIVE

Isaiah 1-66

SERMON REFLECTION

1. Describe one of your main takeaways from this Sunday's sermon.
2. What did you learn from today's overview of Isaiah that you can apply to your life this week?

BIBLE STUDY

1. Read Isaiah 1:18. How does this verse fit with the rest of Scripture?
2. Read Isaiah 2:1-4. What do these verses say about the future kingdom of God?
3. Read Isaiah 52:13 and 53:3-5. Who do you think these verses are describing? How can the person who is described be both high and lifted up and rejected?

GENERAL QUESTIONS

1. Read Isaiah 1:17. How can you "seek justice" and "correct oppression"?
2. Read Isaiah 6:5-7. How does this passage inform the way we should deal with our sin?
3. Isaiah 9:6 gives us four titles for Jesus Christ: "Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace." Reflect on one or two of these names and describe how it should impact a difficult situation you are experiencing.

FAMILY DISCIPLESHIP

Use the questions below from the Sunday Field Guide from Children's Ministries to help you engage your children in this week's sermon. For additional questions and direction on discipling your kids this week, check out the full [Sunday Field Guide](#).

Watch an [overview of Isaiah](#) from [BibleProject](#). Although some of the content may be difficult for young children to understand, use it as an opportunity to teach the importance of knowing the background of the books of the Bible. After watching the videos, answer these questions and thank God for including this book in the Bible.

- Who was Isaiah?
- When was Isaiah written?
- Who was Isaiah writing to?
- What problems was he addressing?
- What promises and hope does Isaiah give?

APPLICATION

Watch an [overview of Isaiah](#) from [BibleProject](#). Afterwards, summarize what the book of Isaiah is about in a few sentences. Use this summary to help you keep a macrostructure view of the book in mind while we dive into the micro-details of the text during this series.

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

Book: [*Be Comforted: Feeling Secure in the Arms of God*](#)

Book: [*How to Read & Understand the Biblical Prophets*](#)

Article: “[Why Study the Book of Isaiah?](#)”

Article: “[Who’s the Mystery Guest in Isaiah’s Servant Songs?](#)”

Article: “[Your Bible Is Not Boring](#)”



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WEEK TWO

SECOND CHANCES

Isaiah 1-2

SERMON REFLECTION

1. Describe one of your main takeaways from this Sunday's sermon.
2. What did you learn that you can apply to your life this week?

BIBLE STUDY

1. Read Isaiah 1:1-23. List the ways God's people had become sinful and rebellious.
2. Read Isaiah 1:12-15, how does the sinfulness of God's people compare to their religious actions? How does God react to this?
3. How does Isaiah 1:16-20 affect the way we see the whole of chapter 1?
4. Read Isaiah 2. In one sentence, summarize the sinfulness mentioned in this chapter

GENERAL QUESTIONS

1. What do these chapters tell us about God?
2. What do these chapters tell us about ourselves?
3. Where do we see Christ in these chapters?
4. What will you do differently this week because of this passage?

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- When you disobey your parents, what happens? Why do your parents respond that way?
- What were some of the ways Israel disobeyed? What were some of the consequences Israel was experiencing because of their disobedience?

- What did Israel need to do to return to the Lord (1:16-20)?
- God promises good for his people in the future (2:1-5). What about this promise makes you excited?

APPLICATION

Read Isaiah 1:16-20 and compare the sinfulness of Israel to your own heart and life. Confess any sin to God and thank him for his grace toward you.

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

Book: [*We Become What We Worship*](#)



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WEEK THREE

WHO'S GOING TO HELP YOU?

Isaiah 3-5

SERMON REFLECTION

1. Describe one of your main takeaways from this Sunday's sermon.
2. What did you learn that you can apply to your life this week?

BIBLE STUDY

1. Summarize God's message to his people in Isaiah 3, focusing on verses 18-26.
2. In Isaiah 4:2, what or who is "the branch of the Lord"? What is the significance of the branch of the Lord?
3. What does Isaiah 5:1-7 describe? How does this passage relate to Matthew 21:33-46?

GENERAL QUESTIONS

1. What does this passage teach about God's attitude toward unrepentant sin?
2. What does God want you to believe in this passage?
3. What significance does Isaiah 3:13 have for believers? What significance does it have for unbelievers?

FAMILY DISCIPLESHIP

Use these questions to help guide your children in understanding this week's passage.

- In Isaiah 3-5, Israel was in bad shape. What hope does God give in chapter 4?
- Isaiah 4:5-6 reminds us of how God protected his people at the Red Sea and in the wilderness. What is your favorite part of God's protection?
- Israel needed the branch to help them (4:2). What or who is the branch? How can the branch help you personally?

APPLICATION

In Isaiah 4 God tells his people that, even though there is coming judgment, there is also hope because ultimately he will provide a way to cleanse the sin of Israel. Write out three verses that give you hope when you think of God's final judgment of sin.

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

Book: [*The Book of Isaiah and God's Kingdom*](#)

Book: [*The Message of Isaiah*](#)

Article: "[God's Goodness in the Vineyard](#)"