The Gospel According to Isaiah

From RUIN To REDEMPTION



Small Group Questions

Message: "Introduction to Isaiah."

Speaker: Pastor Dave

Series: "From Ruin to Redemption."

Date: 9/7/25 **Text:** Isaiah 1:1

- 1. We likened starting Isaiah to standing on the foothills of a mountain. How does this beginning feel to you? Are you intimidated? What do you think about when you think about Isaiah?
- 2. What stood out to you most about the background or historical context of Isaiah? Why does understanding the time period matter for interpreting his message?
- 3. How does Isaiah describe God's character? What does that reveal about His nature? Isaiah often emphasizes God's holiness and one of His names is "the Holy One of Israel." How does recognizing God's holiness impact the way we view our own lives?
- 4. The book of Isaiah includes messages of both judgment and hope. How do these two themes work together in the message of God?
- 5. What five sins in Israel's society were highlighted as warnings by Isaiah? Are there parallels to our world today? How so?
- 6. How does Isaiah's call to repentance challenge you personally?
- 7. Isaiah points to a future servant who will be a savior and hope for redemption. How does this give you perspective on God's plan for the world?
- 8. We talked about a three part plotline, review that and reflect on that, how does this reveal God's plan for the world, and for you personally?
- 9. What does Isaiah's hope teach about God's faithfulness, even when His people fail? How does that motivate you to keep going?
- 10. What are you hoping to get out of this study?