



# ZECHARIAH

*Return to me, and I will return to you*

## Great Expectations

*Zechariah 1:18 - 2:13*

**March 3, 2024**

What does God offer to his people? This is a question people have often asked and the answer to this question really depends on what we believe about God. Today we'll see how God offers more than we could ever ask or imagine!

# Order Of Worship

## Welcome and Announcements

## Call to Worship

### **From Psalm 47**

**Leader:** *Clap your hands, all you nations; shout to God with cries of joy.*

**All:** *How awesome is the Lord Most High, the great King over all the earth!*

**Leader:** *God has ascended amid shouts of joy, the Lord amid the sounding of trumpets.*

**All:** *Sing praises to God, sing praises; sing praises to our King, sing praises. For God is the King of all the earth; sing to him a psalm of praise.*

## Songs of Praise

**O Worship the King**  
**Nothing But The Blood**

## Offering

## Confession of Sin

*Great and Holy God, we come before you as your people. We long to be holy, as you are holy, but we so easily become short-sighted and fall into all kinds of sin. Lord, cleanse us from the guilt and power of our sin. By your grace, cause us to forsake all hope in our own goodness, and cling only to the righteousness purchased for us on the cross by the precious blood of Jesus Christ, our Savior and our King.*

## Assurance of Pardon

***Isaiah 25:6-9***

## Song of Declaration

***We Will Feast In The House of Zion***

## Confession of Faith

***Heidelberg Catechism #82***

*Q. Should those be admitted to the Lord's Supper who show by what they profess and how they live that they are unbelieving and ungodly?*

*A. No, that would dishonor God's covenant and bring down God's wrath upon the entire congregation. Therefore, according to the instruction of Christ and*

*his apostles, the Christian church is duty-bound to exclude such people, by the official use of the keys of the kingdom, until they reform their lives.*

Pastoral Prayer

Children's Message

Sermon

***Great Expectations***

*Zechariah 1:18 - 2:13*

*Pastor James Brignac*

Communion

Song of Response

***Jesus Messiah***

Benediction

# Sermon Notes

## Persecution

***What is essential to understand about the current situation?***

***What do the horns represent?***

*Deuteronomy 33:17, Psalm 75:4-5, Daniel 7:19-22*

***What does Westminster Confession of Faith 5.2 help us to understand?***

*Although, in relation to the fore-knowledge and decree of God, the first Cause, all things come to pass immutably, and infallibly: yet, by the same providence, He ordereth them to fall out, according to the nature of second causes, either necessarily, freely, or contingently. - Westminster Confession of Faith 5.2*

## Protection

***What can we learn from the craftsmen?***

***Why was the man measuring Jerusalem in the third vision?***

***What promise does God offer?***

## Plans

***How does God view his people?***

***What does it mean for Jerusalem to be without walls?***

*Genesis 15:5*

***What is God fulfilling in this passage?***

# Announcements

## Holy Week

DO THIS IN REMBERANCE OF ME

*Mundy  
Thursday*

March 28 at 6:30 PM  
Ponte Vedra Presbyterian Church

IT IS FINISHED

*Good  
Friday*

March 29 at 6:00 PM  
Waypoint Church

HE IS RISEN

*Easter  
Sunrise*

March 31 at Sunrise (about 7 AM)  
Mickler's Landing Beach

HE IS RISEN

*Easter*

March 31 at 10:30 AM  
Waypoint Church



**WAYPOINT  
YOUTH**

Sundays at 6:30 PM  
at Waypoint Church



**WAYPOINT  
MEN**

*Breakfast*

Sat, April 13th at 8am-9:30am  
at Waypoint Church



**WAYPOINT  
PRAYER TEAM**

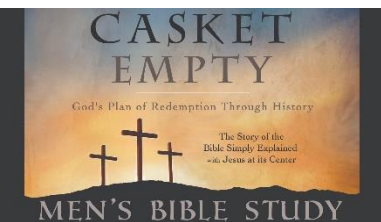
Every Friday at 8:00 AM  
Contact Carl Hill for details



**WAYPOINT  
SMALL GROUPS**

Multiple small groups formed  
Contact Pastor James for info

## Bible Studies



Every other Tue. At 7:00 PM  
Led by Matt Kodatt



**HABAKKUK**

LEARNING TO LIVE BY FAITH

**WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY**

Every other Wed. at 6:00 PM  
Let by Kasey Bushman



Every other Wed. at 10:00 AM  
At Valerie Thompson's home



Every Wed. at 10:00 AM  
Led by Steve Jacques



## Discussion Questions

1. Why do you think God uses visions to reveal information to various prophets?
2. Why is it essential to understand the sovereignty of God in the midst of these visions?
3. How can we trust God's plans when it doesn't seem that He's acting in our best interest?
4. Have you experienced persecution for your faith?
5. Read Zechariah 2:11. How can we be part of making this a reality today?
6. Have you ever doubted God's plans? What led to that situation?