

**Wednesday Night, Survey Service: Week 69**

**Amos 7 – 9, Obadiah 1, Jonah 1 – 4, Micah 1 – 7, Nahum 1 – 3, Habakkuk 1 – 3, Zephaniah 1  
Revelation 15 - 19**

**Amos 7: Amos accused**

**Key Point:**

Those who refuse to listen to their conscience and the Word of God will resist and oppose both, but neither the conscience nor the voice of the Word being proclaimed can be stopped by any threat

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**Key Verse - Amos 7:10 (NLT)**

Then Amaziah, the priest of Bethel, sent a message to Jeroboam, king of Israel: “Amos is hatching a plot against you right here on your very doorstep! What he is saying is intolerable.

**Amos 8: A famine of the word**

**Key Point:**

God will not tolerate the exploitation of needy indefinitely – He will warn but justice will be served so people ought to repent before it is too late.

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**Key Verse - Amos 8:11 (NLT)**

“The time is surely coming,” says the Sovereign Lord, “when I will send a famine on the land—not a famine of bread or water but of hearing the words of the Lord.

**Amos 9: Later, I will restore them**

**Key Point:**

God’s judgment will fall, but His mercy and everlasting favor will also be seen when He redeems His people and blesses the repentant forever.

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**Key Verse - Amos 9:14 (NLT)**

I will bring my exiled people of Israel back from distant lands, and they will rebuild their ruined cities and live in them again. They will plant vineyards and gardens; they will eat their crops and drink their wine.

**Obadiah 1: As you have done**

**Key Point:**

God is ruler over all countries and people, not just Israel and Judah. God’s justice will come upon the entire human race but His offer of repentance is the same for every person.

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**Key Verse - Obadiah 1:15 (NLT)**

The day is near when I, the Lord, will judge all godless nations! As you have done to Israel, so it will be done to you. All your evil deeds will fall back on your own heads.

**Jonah 1: In the belly of the fish****Key Point:**

No one can run from God. We have a calling and a duty and God loves us too much to let us run from it.

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**Key Verse - Jonah 1:17 (NLT)**

Now the Lord had arranged for a great fish to swallow Jonah. And Jonah was inside the fish for three days and three nights.

**Jonah 2: Fish vomit****Key Point:**

Most of the challenges we face in life are the consequences of our own actions. Repentance and trust in God is what leads to better days.

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**Key Verse - Jonah 2:10 (NLT)**

Then the Lord ordered the fish to spit Jonah out onto the beach.

**Jonah 3: God relents****Key Point:**

God is the same forever – He will always respond to the repentant heart no matter who decides to choose a repentant heart.

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**Key Verse - Jonah 3:10 (NLT)**

When God saw what they had done and how they had put a stop to their evil ways, he changed his mind and did not carry out the destruction he had threatened.

**Jonah 4: Shouldn't I be compassionate****Key Point:**

God is compassionate and merciful to all people, everywhere so we should be also because God always responds to the repentant heart.

**Key Verse - Jonah 4:11 (NLT)**

But Nineveh has more than 120,000 people living in spiritual darkness, not to mention all the animals. Shouldn't I feel sorry for such a great city?"

**Micah 1: Sin spread**

**Key Point:**

God pleads with people to turn from their evil ways because once His judgment comes it is fierce and unrelenting.

**Key Verse - Micah 1:9 (NLT)**

For my people's wound is too deep to heal. It has reached into Judah, even to the gates of Jerusalem.

**Micah 2: Don't plan evil**

**Key Point:**

God calls up us to make an effort at caring for the needy because God is on the side of the oppressed.

**Key Verse - Micah 2:1 (NLT)**

What sorrow awaits you who lie awake at night, thinking up evil plans. You rise at dawn and hurry to carry them out, simply because you have the power to do so.

**Micah 3: Hypocrisy**

**Key Point:**

Leaders are held to a higher standard by God – both religious and political leaders so the consequences of bad leadership are huge.

**Key Verse - Micah 3:11 (NLT)**

You rulers make decisions based on bribes; you priests teach God's laws only for a price; you prophets won't prophesy unless you are paid. Yet all of you claim to depend on the Lord. "No harm can come to us," you say, "for the Lord is here among us."

**Micah 4: No training for war**

**Key Point:**

Since we are the remnant in our culture, we should lift our heads in joyful anticipation because our God will bring about worldwide peace and we will enjoy it forever.

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**Key Verse - Micah 4:3 (NLT)**

The Lord will mediate between peoples and will settle disputes between strong nations far away. They will hammer their swords into plowshares and their spears into pruning hooks. Nation will no longer fight against nation, nor train for war anymore.

**Micah 5: As for your Bethlehem****Key Point:**

God spoke 7 centuries before it came to pass that Messiah would be born in Bethlehem so His promise to destroy evil and establish His kingdom will also come to pass.

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**Key Verse - Micah 5:2 (NLT)**

But you, O Bethlehem Ephrathah, are only a small village among all the people of Judah. Yet a ruler of Israel, whose origins are in the distant past, will come from you on my behalf.

**Micah 6: He has told you****Key Point:**

God wants just living, not extravagant sacrifice. He has been faithful to us, let us be faithful to Him.

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**Key Verse - Micah 6:8 (NLT)**

No, O people, the Lord has told you what is good, and this is what he requires of you: to do what is right, to love mercy, and to walk humbly with your God.

**Micah 7: I will wait on the Lord****Key Point:**

Despite the gloom of our broken time, we should choose to put our faith in God to make things right and find encouragement from this choice of faith.

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**Key Verse - Micah 7:7 (NLT)**

As for me, I look to the Lord for help. I wait confidently for God to save me, and my God will certainly hear me.

**Nahum 1: God knows those who trust Him****Key Point:**

God is slow to anger but He will bring about justice. The oppressor will be destroyed and justice will come to pass because God is justice itself.

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**Key Verse - Nahum 1:7 (NLT)**

The Lord is good, a strong refuge when trouble comes. He is close to those who trust in him.

**Nahum 2: Nineveh will fall****Key Point:**

God knows history in advance and will bring to pass His judgments to the letter. Nineveh is in ruins today even though Assyria stood as an empire for nearly 700 years.

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**Key Verse - Nahum 2:8 (NLT)**

Nineveh is like a leaking water reservoir! The people are slipping away. "Stop, stop!" someone shouts, but no one even looks back.

**Nahum 3: No comfort for Nineveh****Key Point:**

No matter how mighty or prosperous a city, nation or person may seem, if it turns away from God and indulges in evil, it will face the consequences of its actions.

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**Key Verse - Nahum 3:7 (NLT)**

All who see you will shrink back and say, 'Nineveh lies in ruins. Where are the mourners?' Does anyone regret your destruction?"

**Habakkuk 1: Your eyes, too pure****Key Point:**

It is an honest question to wonder why God will use a pagan, ungodly nation to bring judgment on His people.

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**Key Verse - Habakkuk 1:13 (NLT)**

But you are pure and cannot stand the sight of evil. Will you wink at their treachery? Should you be silent while the wicked swallow up people more righteous than they?

**Habakkuk 2: The knowledge of the ord.**

**Key Point:**

Although the wicked may seem to prosper temporarily, their ultimate downfall and judgment are certain.

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**Key Verse - Habakkuk 2:14 (NLT)**

For as the waters fill the sea, the earth will be filled with an awareness of the glory of the Lord.

**Habakkuk 3: Yet I will rejoice**

**Key Point:**

In times of difficulty, we can find strength and hope by reflecting on God's past faithfulness and placing our trust in His power and providence.

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**Key Verse - Habakkuk 3:17 – 18 (NLT)**

Even though the fig trees have no blossoms, and there are no grapes on the vines; even though the olive crop fails, and the fields lie empty and barren; even though the flocks die in the fields, and the cattle barns are empty, 18 yet I will rejoice in the Lord! I will be joyful in the God of my salvation!

**Zephaniah 1: The day of the Lord**

**Key Point:**

We are called to live a repentant life before it is too late because no one knows when our last day will dawn.

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**Key Verse - Zephaniah 1:14 (NLT)**

“That terrible day of the Lord is near. Swiftly it comes— a day of bitter tears, a day when even strong men will cry out.

**Revelation 15: Sea of glass**

**Key Point:**

The coming judgments of God will come soon, swiftly and worldwide so we must seek His righteousness right now.

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**Key Verse - Revelation 15:2 (NLT)**

I saw before me what seemed to be a glass sea mixed with fire. And on it stood all the people who had been victorious over the beast and his statue and the number representing his name. They were all holding harps that God had given them.

**Revelation 16: Seven bowls****Key Point:**

God's judgments will increase in severity upon the unrepentant, it is folly to resist Him because in the end, His righteous wrath will be poured out.

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**Key Verse - Revelation 16:1 (NLT)**

Then I heard a mighty voice from the Temple say to the seven angels, "Go your ways and pour out on the earth the seven bowls containing God's wrath."

**Revelation 17: Scarlet Woman****Key Point:**

Spiritual deception is connected to raw, corrupt political power and false religion but God will have ultimate victory over all corrupt systems – religious or political.

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**Key Verse - Revelation 17:18 (NLT)**

And this woman you saw in your vision represents the great city that rules over the kings of the world."

**Revelation 18: Babylon Falls****Key Point:**

God will end evil, destroy all corrupt worldly systems and separate the righteous from the influence of evil forever.

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**Key Verse - Revelation 18:21 (NLT)**

Then a mighty angel picked up a boulder the size of a huge millstone. He threw it into the ocean and shouted, "Just like this, the great city Babylon will be thrown down with violence and will never be found again.

**Revelation 19: The White Horse****Key Point:**

Messiah, our King and God, will ultimately triumph over all powers of darkness and unite Himself with us forever.

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**Key Verse - Revelation 19:11 (NLT)**

Then I saw heaven opened, and a white horse was standing there. Its rider was named Faithful and True, for he judges fairly and wages a righteous war.