

Reformed University Fellowship

Bible Survey Conference

Session 6: Word from God (Isaiah - Lamentations; Hosea - Zephaniah)

- I. Early prophets: Enoch, Noah, Abraham, Moses, Samuel, Elijah, Elisha
 - A. Enoch – Jude 14-15.
 - B. Noah – 2 Peter 2:4-5.
 - C. Abraham – Genesis 20:7.
 - D. Elijah – 1 Kings 18:20-40.
 - E. Elisha – 2 Kings 2:1-15.
 - 1. Reverse exodus at Jericho.
 - 2. Dividing water.
 - 3. Double the Spirit.
 - 4. New exodus.

- II. Prophet, Priest, and King.
 - A. All are servants of the High King.
 - B. Priest: palace servant.
 - C. King: regional governor.
 - D. Prophet: messenger to the governor.
 - E. Prophets as prosecuting attorneys.

- III. Isaiah: Judgments.
 - A. 1:1-2:4.
 - 1. 1:1-3 – The case.
 - 2. 1:4-17 – The evidence.
 - 3. 1:18-20 – Call to reason
 - 4. 1:21-23 – Compare to harlot.
 - 5. 2:1-4 – Future blessing.

 - B. 6:1-13
 - 1. Heavenly council.
 - 2. Implementing judgment.

 - C. 13:9-10.
 - 1. Cosmic collapse.
 - 2. Preparation for a new heavens and earth.

 - D. Judgments against the nations.
 - 1. Moab – chapters 15-16.
 - 2. Syria – chapter 17.
 - 3. Ethiopia – chapter 18.
 - 4. Egypt – chapter 19.
 - 5. Babylon – chapter 21.
 - 6. Jerusalem – chapter 22.
 - 7. Tyre – chapter 23.
 - 8. Earth – chapter 24.

- IV. Isaiah: Messiah.
 - A. Comfort – 40:1-11.
 - B. Servant – 42:1-9; 49:1-6; 52:13-53:12.
 - C. Life – 55:1-3.
 - D. Gospel – 61:1-3.
 - E. Judgement – 63:1-6.
 - F. New Creation – 65:17-25.

- V. Jeremiah.
 - A. Prophecies against Judah.
 - B. Divorce decreed: 3:1-10.
 - C. Judah shall serve Babylon 70 years: 25:1-11.
 - D. New Covenant: 31:31-34.

- VI. Lamentations.
 - A. Ruins of Jerusalem.
 - B. 1:1-9.
 - C. 3:22-27.

- VII. Hosea.
 - A. Adulterous Israel and Judah.
 - B. Israel the whore: 1:1-3:5.
 - C. Plea for repentance: 14:1-9.

- VIII. Joel.
 - A. Prophecies against Judah.
 - B. Destruction predicted: 1:1-7.
 - C. The Day of the Lord: 2:1-2.

- IX. Nahum.
 - A. Prophecy against Nineveh.
 - B. The Lord is an avenging God: 1:1-3.
 - C. Woe to the bloody city: 3:1-7.

- X. "Day of the Lord".