### PIERCED FOR US

Isaiah 53.3-6

### STABBED IN THE BACK

Psalm 41.9 // Zechariah 11.12, 13 // Matthew 26.14-16, 20-25, 49-50, 27.3-10

The "us" and "we" in this chapter refer to Isaiah and his companions of Jews who have put their hope in the coming Suffering Servant, in contrast to the rest of the Jews, whom he is pleading with, that put their trust in their own works or self-righteous religiosity, or simply in their heritage as Jews. These promises and results of the suffering of the Messiah will not be enjoyed by all, but the "many" (vs. 11 and 12) that believe in Him. These prophetic statements of rejection were personal, as well, as the Messiah would be betrayed and denied by His own close friends, namely Judas and Peter, among others.

### LEFT FOR DEAD

Isaiah 53.5 // Psalm 22.16, 6-8, 12-13 // Mark 15.29-32
Psalm 34.20, 22.17-18, 14-15 // Exodus 12.46 // John 19.32-37 // Zechariah 12.10

The personal rejection of Judas towards Jesus expedited His broader rejection of the Jewish people, to the point where He would even be killed. Amazingly, the Old Testament even tells us that His "hands and feet" will be pierced, despite the fact that crucifixion would not be invented until hundreds of years later. Despite His hands and feet being pierced, His bones would remain unbroken, another specific fulfillment to Old Testament prophecy.

### WHAT DOES IT ACCOMPLISH?

Isaiah 53.3-6 // Leviticus 16.20-22 // Isaiah 38.17 // Hebrews 10.14-18

The sacrifice of the Lamb of God does not just pay for our sin, the Lamb also takes away our sin. In the Old Testament, a sacrifice was not just given to be killed, but another sacrifice, a live goat called the scapegoat, had all the sins of Israel placed upon it and then released into the wilderness, thus taking the sins of Israel far away from them.

It is one thing for sin to be forgiven; It is a whole other thing for sin to be forgotten.

Jesus is the Lamb of God who takes away our sin. But He did not just merely run into the wilderness, He went to death itself. And as the scapegoat took the sins into the wilderness, Christ takes our sins into death, never for them to return or be remembered.



NOTES:

### This Week's Scripture to Memorize:

#### Isaiah 53:5

But he was pierced for our transgressions; he was crushed for our iniquities; upon him was the chastisement that brought us peace, and with his wounds we are healed.

## **ARE YOU NEW HERE?**

## WELCOME TO LIFE MISSION!

We'd love for you to fill out a Connection Card so we can welcome you and answer any questions you may have. You can drop it in the offering basket during the service or take it to one of our teammates at the Connection Booth outside. Feel free to grab some coffee and snacks in the courtyard and hang out. We hope you'll join us next Sunday and consider making us your church family.

### WHAT ABOUT THE KIDS?

Our childrens' ministry, which we call **Kids on Mission**, has classes for **newborns - 5th grade**. We have a great team of volunteers who have all been screened with background checks for extra security. Each week your child will get to **worship** with their class, followed by an **age-appropriate lesson** that points them towards Jesus and helps root them in the Word of God.

Visit our website to read more about the vision of Kids on Mission and a walkthrough of our curriculum. If you have any questions, email Katie McGinty at katie@lifemission.tv

### JUNIOR HIGH & HIGH SCHOOL

Our 6th - 8th graders begin each Sunday by worshiping with the adults and then head to their classroom with their teacher and classmates for the rest of service. Visit our website to read more about our junior high ministry and a walkthrough of our curriculum.

Our 9th-12th graders stay in the service with the adults because we believe that it is crucial for them to not "graduate the faith" when they graduate high school. Our mid-week High School Ministry meets once a month here at Classical Academy, in the Study Hall. Email Casey Barnes at casey@lifemission.tv for info about meeting dates/times or questions about our student ministries.

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# **COMMUNITY GROUP HOMEWORK**

Before your group starts, is there anyone who can share the **Memory Verse**?

Read Isaiah 53.3-6. What stands out to you in this passage, and what stuck out to you most from the sermon on Sunday? \_

Leviticus 16.20-22 gives us another picture of what the Lamb of God will accomplish. How does the truth that God does not just forgive, but also forget your sin change your view of your relationship with God, God Himself, and even your relationships with others?

### Preaching the Gospel to Yourself

How does the truth from this text and sermon point you back to Christ? What particular truth can help keep you focused on the Gospel?

What is a real life and current situation you are in that this truth can be applied to, and how?

### Repent and Confess

What do you see in this truth that exposes a particular sin or behavior? Are you living in fear or condemnation over sin you've done, but that God has already forgiven and forgotten? How could "not being able to forgive yourself" also possibly be considered a sinful act?

#### Ask for Provision

In light of this truth, what do you need to ask for from the Lord? What fruit of the Spirit are you needing?

#### Your Life Mission

Before you close the group with prayer, what opportunities are coming up that you could use prayer for as it pertains to sharing your faith or intentionally engaging with others with a Gospel focus and goal?

End the evening in a time of prayer, praying through the theme of the night using the P.R.A.Y. model with your group. Make sure to end your time of prayer Yielding with Thanksaiving for God's sovereignty and plan for your life.





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