

About the Series

How do we cope with life's many challenges and the weight of sin's consequences? How does God work in the lives of the people He loves? The book of Isaiah answers these questions and many more as it takes us on a life-changing journey from warning to redemption, reminding us of a faithful God who never leaves us, and calling us to trust the Savior who breaks through the darkness and brings hope and new life.

**#22: At Its Core**

Dr. Stephen G. Tan | Isaiah 52:13-53:12

» Watch

Watch the sermon. As you watch, take notes on anything that stands out to you. Pay careful attention to the context of the biblical text, insights and principles highlighted, and any supporting scripture mentioned.

KEY TAKEAWAYS

At its core, the church should be about sharing the Gospel, and therefore these should be the core values that drives our actions:

- We embrace a Savior despised and rejected by the world
- We proclaim a Savior who took our sins upon Himself
- We worship a Savior who willingly dies for us because of love
- We rejoice with the Savior when people are saved

» Talk It Through

1. What makes someone worthy of respect or admiration in your eyes? Would Jesus fit that description?
2. Read Isaiah chapter 53. What do these verses help us understand about our sin, God's love, and what Jesus accomplished on the cross? What stands out to you about Jesus' willingness to sacrifice Himself, and what does it reveal about His love for us? Based on this, would you trust Him as your Savior?
3. The message reminded us that Jesus' sacrifice should affect how we live, not just what we believe. In which area of your life, whether at home, at work, in school, or in your relationships, do you find it hardest to let your faith shape your decisions?
4. The Church is called to share the Gospel and rejoice when people are saved. What's one practical way you can make the good news of Jesus known through your words, choices, or relationships this week? How might your attitude toward people who don't yet know Jesus change if you shared that same joy and concern for their salvation as Jesus described in Luke 15?

» Pray

Close your time together with prayer.