

40 Day “eXPlain it” Challenge

ZOOM Workshop 7

Saturday, May 22nd at 9:00 am

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X (chi) and P (rho)

e XP lain it

Three Core Biblical Interpretation Principles:

"e XP lain it"

**the Scripture interprets the Scripture
open the Bible ... open my eyes**

Three Foundational Questions:

How does the text speak of Jesus ...

foretold in the Old Testament Scriptures?

foreshadowed in the Books of Moses, the
Prophets and the Writings (the Psalms)?

fulfilled – “filled to the full” in the
New Testament?

the Trinity
(Father, Son and Holy Spirit)

VS.

the “unholy trinity”
(the Devil, the world, sinful flesh)

Deuteronomy

(a Covenant renewal and affirmation
before entering the Promised Land)

Deuteronomy 6

Shema

“Hear, O Israel ...

Deuteronomy 6:3-ff: Hear, O Israel, and be careful to obey so that it may go well with you and that you may increase greatly in a land flowing with milk and honey, just as the Lord , the God of your fathers, promised you. (NIV)

Deuteronomy 6:4-ff: Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is one. 5Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength. (NIV)

Deuteronomy 6:4-ff: These commandments that I give you today are to be upon your hearts.

7Impress them on your children. Talk about them when you sit at home and when you walk along the road, when you lie down and when you get up. 8Tie them as symbols on your hands and bind them on your foreheads.

9Write them on the doorframes of your houses and on your gates. (NIV)

**Matthew 22:35-40: One of them, an expert in the law, tested him with this question:
36"Teacher, which is the greatest commandment in the Law?" (NIV)**

Matthew 22:35-40: Jesus replied: " 'Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.' 38This is the first and greatest commandment. (NIV)

**Matthew 22:39-40: And the second is like it:
'Love your neighbor as yourself.'**

**40All the Law and the Prophets hang on these
two commandments." (NIV)**

The Gospel of Matthew

fulfill them = “fill them to the full”

"Do not think that I have come to abolish the Law or the Prophets; I have not come to abolish them but to fulfill them." (Matthew 5:17 NIV)

Jesus is the fulfillment of the Law

**not abolished
but filled to the full**

the Law Giver
the Perfect Law Keeper

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The Great Exchange

2 Corinthians 5:21: God made him who had no sin to be sin for us, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God. (NIV)

A Prophet like Moses

Moses to the People of Israel before they enter the Promised Land

Deuteronomy 18:15-18: The Lord your God will raise up for you a prophet like me from among your own brothers. You must listen to him. (NIV)

Deuteronomy 18:18: I will raise up for them a prophet like you from among their brothers; I will put my words in his mouth, and he will tell them everything I command him. (NIV)

Who is THE “Prophet”?

John 1:19-21: Now this was John's testimony when the Jews of Jerusalem sent priests and Levites to ask him who he was. (NIV)

**John 1:20-21: He did not fail to confess, but
confessed freely, "I am not the Christ. "
21They asked him, "Then who are you? Are you
Elijah?" He said, "I am not."
(NIV)**

**John1:21: "Are you the Prophet?" He
answered, "No." (NIV)**

John 1:21: 22 Finally they said, "Who are you? Give us an answer to take back to those who sent us. What do you say about yourself?"

23 John replied in the words of Isaiah the prophet, "I am the voice of one calling in the desert, 'Make straight the way for the Lord.' "
(NIV)

The Message of the Prophet ... Jesus

repent

receive

rejoice

(repeat)

The Prophets

Forth-Telling

Fore-Telling

Fore-Shadowing

Forth-Telling (Proclaim)

“Why is this happening to us?”

**“This is why! ... You have broken the covenant!
Repent!”**

Jeremiah 11:10-11: They have returned to the sins of their forefathers, who refused to listen to my words. They have followed other gods to serve them. Both the house of Israel and the house of Judah have broken the covenant I made with their forefathers. (NIV)

Jeremiah 11:11: Therefore this is what the Lord says: 'I will bring on them a disaster they cannot escape. Although they cry out to me, I will not listen to them. (NIV)

Fore-Telling

“You have broken the covenant!”

“But one day ...”

Isaiah 7:14

Matthew 1:21-23: She will give birth to a son, and you are to give him the name Jesus, because he will save his people from their sins.

22All this took place to fulfill what the Lord had said through the prophet: 23"The virgin will be with child and will give birth to a son, and they will call him Immanuel" --which means, "God with us." (NIV)

Fore-Shadowing

“You have broken the covenant!”

“But one day Messiah will come and this is what He and the Messianic Kingdom will look like!”

“I will be their Shepherd”

Psalm 23
Ezekiel 34
John 10

“I am against the shepherds of Israel” (34:10)

**I will rescue my flock from their mouths
I myself will search for my sheep
I will look after them
I will bring them out from the nations
I will gather them
I will bring them into their own land
I will pasture them and tend them
I will search for the lost and bring back the strays
I will bind up the injured
I will strengthen the weak
I will shepherd the flock with justice**

John 10: I am the Good Shepherd

“I know my sheep and my sheep know me”

“I have other sheep ... I must bring them also”

“I lay down my life for the sheep”

**The Message of the Prophets:
Forth-Telling
Fore-Telling
Fore-Shadowing**

**the person and work of Jesus, the Messiah,
for the forgiveness of sins**

Good News ...

**One day there will be One who will be the
fulfillment of all of the Covenants ...**

**the Seed of Abraham
the Son of David
the Perfect One who will ...**

**make atonement for the sins of the world and
give to us all of His righteousness works**

Fore-Shadowing – Isaiah

**Here's a Picture of What the Messiah
and the Messianic Age Is Like**

Fore-Shadowed

**the Suffering Servant
the Shepherd of Israel
the Messianic Age**

Isaiah 42:1-4: "Here is my servant, whom I uphold, my chosen one in whom I delight; I will put my Spirit on him and he will bring justice to the nations. 2He will not shout or cry out, or raise his voice in the streets. (NIV)

**Isaiah 42:1-4: 3 A bruised reed he will not break,
and a smoldering wick he will not snuff out. In
faithfulness he will bring forth justice; 4he will
not falter or be discouraged till he establishes
justice on earth. In his law the islands will put
their hope." (NIV)**

**Isaiah 52:13-ff: See, my servant will act wisely ;
he will be raised and lifted up and highly exalted.
14Just as there were many who were appalled at
him - his appearance was so disfigured beyond
that of any man and his form marred beyond
human likeness- (NIV)**

Isaiah 52:13-ff: ... so will he sprinkle many nations, and kings will shut their mouths because of him. For what they were not told, they will see, and what they have not heard, they will understand. (NIV)

Matthew 20:25-ff: Jesus called them together and said, "You know that the rulers of the Gentiles lord it over them, and their high officials exercise authority over them. 26 Not so with you. Instead, whoever wants to become great among you must be your servant ... (NIV)

Matthew 20:25-ff: ... and whoever wants to be first must be your slave, 28just as the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many." (NIV)

**“The Suffering Servant”
Isaiah 53**

**Isaiah 53:3-ff: 3He was despised and rejected by
men, a man of sorrows, and familiar with
suffering. Like one from whom men hide their
faces he was despised, and we esteemed him not.
(NIV)**

**Isaiah 53:3-ff: 4 Surely he took up our infirmities
and carried our sorrows, yet we considered him
stricken by God, smitten by him, and afflicted.
(NIV)**

Isaiah 53:3-ff: 5 But he was pierced for our transgressions, he was crushed for our iniquities; the punishment that brought us peace was upon him, and by his wounds we are healed. (NIV)

The Great Exchange

**2 Corinthians 5:21: God made him who had no sin to be sin for us, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.
(NIV)**

Fore-Shadowed the Messianic Age

The Work of the Triune God (themes in the Books of Moses)

**Creation
Redemption
Sanctification**

the Trinity
(Father, Son and Holy Spirit)

VS.

the “unholy trinity”
(the Devil, the world, sinful flesh)

The Work of the Triune God (themes)

Creation (recreate, provide, protects)

Redemption (buy us back)

Sanctification (make us holy)

Jesus in Nazareth Goes to the Synagogue on the Sabbath

Luke 4

Luke 4:16-17: He went to Nazareth, where he had been brought up, and on the Sabbath day he went into the synagogue, as was his custom. (NIV)

Luke 4:16-17: And he stood up to read. The scroll of the prophet Isaiah was handed to him. Unrolling it, he found the place where it is written: (NIV)

Isaiah 61

"The Spirit of the Lord is on me, because he has anointed me to preach good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim freedom for the prisoners and recovery of sight for the blind, to release the oppressed, to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor." (NIV)

Luke 4:20-21: Then he rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the attendant and sat down. The eyes of everyone in the synagogue were fastened on him, and he began by saying to them, "Today this scripture is fulfilled in your hearing." (NIV)

**Right now
Right here**

**the Scripture is fulfilled
I am the Promised Messiah**

Right now ... Right here
Isaiah 61

**"The Spirit of the Lord is on me ...
I am preaching good news to the poor ...
I am proclaiming freedom for the prisoners
(NIV)**

Right now ... Right here
Isaiah 61

I am giving sight to the blind
I am releasing the oppressed
I am proclaiming Lord's favor (NIV)

Luke 7:20-21: When the men came to Jesus, they said, "John the Baptist sent us to you to ask, 'Are you the one who was to come, or should we expect someone else?' "

21At that very time Jesus cured many who had diseases, sicknesses and evil spirits, and gave sight to many who were blind. (NIV)

**Luke 7:22: So he replied to the messengers, "Go back and report to John what you have seen and heard: The blind receive sight, the lame walk, those who have leprosy are cured, the deaf hear, the dead are raised, and the good news is preached to the poor.
(NIV)**

The COVENANT with DAVID

**2 Samuel 7:12-16: When your days are over and you rest with your fathers, I will raise up your offspring to succeed you, who will come from your own body, and I will establish his kingdom.
(NIV)**

2 Samuel 7:12-16: 13 He is the one who will build a house for my Name, and I will establish the throne of his kingdom forever. (NIV)

2 Samuel 7:12-16: 14 I will be his father, and he will be my son. When he does wrong, I will punish him with the rod of men, with floggings inflicted by men. 15But my love will never be taken away from him, as I took it away from Saul, whom I removed from before you. (NIV)

2 Samuel 7:12-16: 16 Your house and your kingdom will endure forever before me; your throne will be established forever.' ” (NIV)

**Matthew 1:1-ff: A record of the genealogy of
Jesus Christ the son of David, the son of Abraham:**

(NIV)

Matthew 9:27: As Jesus went on from there, two blind men followed him, calling out, "Have mercy on us, Son of David!" (NIV)

John:18:33-ff: Pilate then went back inside the palace, summoned Jesus and asked him, "Are you the king of the Jews?" (NIV)

John:18:36–ff: Jesus said, "My kingdom is not of this world. If it were, my servants would fight to prevent my arrest by the Jews. But now my kingdom is from another place." (NIV)

**John:18:37-ff: "You are a king, then!" said Pilate.
Jesus answered, "You are right in saying I am a
king. In fact, for this reason I was born, and for
this I came into the world, to testify to the truth.
Everyone on the side of truth listens to me."
(NIV)**

**Acts 2:32-ff: God has raised this Jesus to life,
and we are all witnesses of the fact.**

**33Exalted to the right hand of God, he has
received from the Father the promised Holy
Spirit and has poured out what you now see and
hear. (NIV)**

Acts 2:32-ff: 34 For David did not ascend to heaven, and yet he said, " 'The Lord said to my Lord: "Sit at my right hand 35until I make your enemies a footstool for your feet." ' (NIV)

**Acts 2:32-ff: 36"Therefore let all Israel be assured of this: God has made this Jesus, whom you crucified, both Lord and Christ."
(NIV)**

Ascension = Coronation

**defeated sin, death and the devil
forever rules and reigns
all things under His feet**

the Psalms

Picture Promises

Before His Ascension, Jesus Appears to His Disciples

Luke 24:44-48: "This is what I told you while I was still with you: Everything must be fulfilled that is written about me in the Law of Moses, the Prophets and the Psalms." (NIV)

**Luke 24:44-48: 45 Then he opened their minds
so they could understand the Scriptures. (NIV)**

Luke 24:44-48: 46 He told them, "This is what is written: The Christ will suffer and rise from the dead on the third day, 47 and repentance and forgiveness of sins will be preached in his name to all nations, beginning at Jerusalem. 48 You are witnesses of these things. (NIV)

**The Bible:
It's a book about ...**

**Jesus Christ crucified, dead and risen
for the forgiveness of sins.**

God in the ...

abstract
and the concrete

The Voice of the Psalms Who's Praying?

**Is Jesus, the Messiah, the 2nd Person of the
Trinity ... praying?**

Are the people of God, the Church praying and speaking of Messiah?

**Is Jesus, our Brother, and Great High Priest
joining us ... we're praying the Psalms together?**

Psalms – Messiah Praying

Hebrews 5:7: 7 During the days of Jesus' life on earth, he offered up prayers and petitions with loud cries and tears to the one who could save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission. (NIV)

**Mark 14:34: 34" My soul is overwhelmed with sorrow to the point of death," he said to them.
"Stay here and keep watch." (NIV)**

Mark 14:35-ff: 35 Going a little farther, he fell to the ground and prayed that if possible the hour might pass from him. (NIV)

**Mark 14:35-ff: 36"Abba, Father," he said,
"everything is possible for you. Take this cup
from me. Yet not what I will, but what you
will." (NIV)**

Psalm 40:6-8: Sacrifice and offering you did not desire, but my ears you have pierced , ; burnt offerings and sin offerings you did not require. (NIV)

**Psalm 40:6-8: 7Then I said, "Here I am, I have
come- it is written about me in the scroll.
8I desire to do your will, O my God; your law is
within my heart." (NIV)**

Hebrews 10:5-ff: Therefore, when Christ came into the world, he said: "Sacrifice and offering you did not desire, but a body you prepared for me; 6with burnt offerings and sin offerings you were not pleased. (NIV)

Hebrews 10:5-ff: 7Then I said, 'Here I am--it is written about me in the scroll-- I have come to do your will, O God.' ” (NIV)

Hebrews 10:5-ff: 10 And by that will, we have been made holy through the sacrifice of the body of Jesus Christ once for all. (NIV)

Psalm 22: My God, My God why have you forsaken me? ... All who see me, mock me; they hurl insults shaking their heads. (NIV)

**Psalm 22: 14 I am poured out like water, and
all my bones are out of joint. My heart has
turned to wax; it has melted away within me.
15 My strength is dried up like a potsherd, and
my tongue sticks to the roof of my mouth; you
lay me in the dust of death. (NIV)**

Psalm 22:16-17: Dogs have surrounded me; a band of evil men has encircled me, they have pierced my hands and my feet. 17 I can count all my bones; people stare and gloat over me.

**Psalm 22:18-19: 18 They divide my garments
among them and cast lots for my clothing.
19 But you, O Lord , be not far off; O my
Strength, come quickly to help me.**

Psalms – the Church Praying

Psalms: the Prayer Book and Hymnal of the People of God

the Trinity
(Father, Son and Holy Spirit)

VS.

the “unholy trinity”
(the Devil, the world, sinful flesh)

**God gives us words to speak
to praise, to shout, to sigh ...**

no emotion is excluded

There's a Psalm for that ...

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There's a Psalm for that ...

in my sin

in my anger and hate

in my questions and doubts and fears

in my complaining, lamenting, longing for justice

There's a Psalm for that ...

**in my waiting and longing
in my deliverance from the pit
in my awe, thanksgiving and praise**

There's a Psalm for that ...

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Psalm 13

“How long, O Lord, will you forget me forever?”

Psalm 27

**“The Lord is my light and my salvation –
whom shall I fear?”**

Psalm 35

“Contend, O Lord, with those who contend with me; fight against those who fight against me.”

Psalm 51

“Have mercy on me, O God, according to your unfailing love; according to your great compassion blot out my transgressions.”

Psalm 62

“My soul finds rest in God alone; my salvation comes from Him.”

Psalm 67

**“May God be gracious to us and bless us and
make His face shine upon us.”**

Psalm 69

**“Save me, O God, for the waters have come up
to my neck.”**

Psalm 70

“Hasten, O God, to save me; O Lord, come quickly to help me.”

Psalm 94

**“O Lord, the God who avenges, O God who
avenges shine forth.”**

Psalm 98

“Sing to the Lord a new song, for he has done marvelous things; his right hand and his holy arm have worked salvation for him.” (NIV)

Psalm 103

**“Praise the Lord, O my soul; all my inmost being
praise His holy name. Praise the Lord, O my soul
and forget not all of His benefits.” (NIV)**

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to praise, to shout, to sigh ...**

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There's a Psalm for that ...

Psalms – Messiah Praying with His Church

Jesus Prays FOR us
Jesus Prays WITH us

Psalm 88 ... pray it alone it is unbearable

Psalm 88:1 O Lord , the God who saves me, day and night I cry out before you. 2 May my prayer come before you; turn your ear to my cry. 3For my soul is full of trouble and my life draws near the grave. (NIV)

Psalm 88:18 You have taken my companions and loved ones from me; the darkness is my closest friend. (NIV)

Psalm 88 ... pray it with Jesus Christ by your side

Psalm 88:3 For my soul is full of trouble and my life draws near the grave. 4 I am counted among those who go down to the pit; I am like a man without strength. 5 I am set apart with the dead, like the slain who lie in the grave, whom you remember no more, who are cut off from your care. (NIV)

Psalm 88:6 You have put me in the lowest pit, in the darkest depths. 7 Your wrath lies heavily upon me; you have overwhelmed me with all your waves. Selah

8 You have taken from me my closest friends and have made me repulsive to them. I am confined and cannot escape; 9 my eyes are dim with grief. (NIV)

Psalm 88: 9 I call to you, O Lord , every day; I spread out my hands to you. 10 Do you show your wonders to the dead? Do those who are dead rise up and praise you? Selah (NIV)

**Psalm 88: 11 Is your love declared in the grave,
your faithfulness in Destruction ? 12 Are your
wonders known in the place of darkness, or
your righteous deeds in the land of oblivion? 13
But I cry to you for help, O Lord ; in the morning
my prayer comes before you.**

(NIV)

**Psalm 88: 14 Why, O Lord , do you reject me and
hide your face from me? 15 From my youth I
have been afflicted and close to death; I have
suffered your terrors and am in despair.
(NIV)**

**Psalm 88: 16 Your wrath has swept over me;
your terrors have destroyed me.**

**17 All day long they surround me like a flood;
they have completely engulfed me.**

(NIV)

**Psalm 88: 18 You have taken my companions
and loved ones from me; the darkness is my
closest friend. (NIV)**

Psalm 88 ... pray it with Jesus Christ by your side

Acts: All of Scripture Filled to the Full in Jesus

**Did They Now Understand?
Look no further than the Book of Acts**

The Disciples Choose Matthias to Replace Judas

Psalm 69:25

Psalm 109:8

Peter's Pentecost Sermon

Acts 2

Peter quoting the Scriptures

the Prophet Joel (2:28-32)

David in the Psalms (16 and 110)

Acts 3

**Quotes Moses (the Prophet of Deut. 18)
The Prophets from Samuel on**

Acts 4

Psalm 118

Psalm 2

Acts 10:43: All the prophets testify about Him that everyone who believes in Him receives forgiveness of sins through His name. (NIV)

The Message of the Prophets, the Apostles, and Jesus

**repent
receive
rejoice**

(repeat)