

# The Bible: It's All About Jesus

Proclamation Life Groups; Luke 24:13-35; Week of Sunday, October 9, 2016; Steve Thiel

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All of Scripture, the Law, Psalms, and Prophets, teach us about Jesus; His person and His work. They instruct us about His death, burial and resurrection and the salvation that is ours in Him. Therefore, our whole lives should be about Jesus.

## I. The Need For Understanding – Read Luke 24:13-26

- A. What are all the different ways these disciples demonstrate their need for understanding?
- B. What do the disciples know about Jesus? Who did they expect the Messiah to be (v.21)?

## II. The Source and Result of Understanding – Read Luke 24:27-35

- A. From where in the bible does Jesus teach the disciples? What is the subject of His teaching?
- B. How does Luke 24:44-47 and John 5:39-47 help us know that the bible is about Jesus?
- C. How do the disciples respond to Jesus disappearance (v.31) and His teaching (vv.32-35)?
- D. How does the whole bible being about Jesus change the way you think or approach life?

## III. Jesus in Old Testament Types and Shadows – Read Genesis 1:1-5 and John 1:1-14

- A. Read Genesis 1:1-5
  1. What description are we given of the earth before God started creating things?
  2. How did God create the heavens and the earth? How would you summarize the result?
  3. How did God create man (Genesis 2:7)?
- B. Read John 1:1-14
  1. Who is the Word? What role does the Word have in creation?
  2. What does the Word accomplish and how is this a picture of the gospel?
  3. How is the creation of man a picture of the gospel (2 Cor. 5:17)?

## IV. Jesus in Old Testament Prophetic Statements – Read Isaiah 53 and Acts 8:25-40

- A. Read Isaiah 52:13 – 53:12
  1. What connections can you make between all the descriptions given and Jesus?
  2. In what ways is the Servant described as being a substitute for our sins (Isaiah 53:4-6).
  3. What details are given regarding the Servant's death (Isaiah 53: 7-12)?
- B. Read Acts 8:25-40
  1. What was the Ethiopian eunuch reading when Philip joined his chariot?
  2. How does Philip respond to the eunuch question about Isaiah?
  3. How should this influence our understanding of the gospel in the Old Testament?