**Isaiah**

*Comfort or Judgment: The Only Options*

*Isaiah 66:7 -24*

God’s People

* And I will pour upon the house of David, and upon the inhabitants of Jerusalem, the spirit of grace and of supplications: and they shall look upon me whom they have pierced, and they shall mourn for him, as one mourneth for *his* only *son*, and shall be in bitterness for him, as one that is in bitterness for *his* firstborn. (Zech 12:10)
* Delivery without Pain (v 7 – 8)
* Delivery Guaranteed (v 9)
  + Being confident of this very thing, that he which hath begun a good work in you will perform *it* until the day of Jesus Christ: (Phil 1:6)
* Rejoice (v 10)
* Satisfaction / Delight (v 11)
* Peace (v 12)
* Comfort (v 13 - 14)
  + 7 ¶ Be not wise in thine own eyes: fear the LORD, and depart from evil. 8 It shall be health to thy navel, and marrow to thy bones. (Prov 3:7-8)
  + Pleasant words *are as* an honeycomb, sweet to the soul, and health to the bones. (Prov 16:24)

Judgment

* The Indignation (abhorrence) of the Lord (v 14 – 16)
* Sanctified Evil (v 17 – 18)
* Mercy in the Midst of Judgment (v 19 – 24)