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Oct 23, 2022 | The Anticipated Messiah | Gen 3:15 & Various | Nelson Schonfeldt

Groups & Families Discussion Questions

Follow along with the sermon and use these questions to dive a little deeper with your group, with your families at home or for your own personal reflection.

Sermon Notes: Can you identify the main point, the subpoints and application of today's message?

Life Group Questions

1. Conversation starter: Would you consider yourself a “Duracell Bunny?” Why/why not? Do you know someone who is?
2. When our “batteries” are flat, how do we keep going spiritually?
3. Define the “Messiah” and list some characteristics that we would expect to see when He shows up on the scene.
4. Can you recall if Jesus ever claimed to be the Messiah? (Hint: Mt 16:13-17; 26:63-64; Jn 4:25-26)
5. In Luke 4:21, Jesus reads from Isaiah 61:1-2a and claims that it has been fulfilled in their hearing. Why do you think Jesus stopped reading halfway through a verse? (i.e. Is 61:2) How does that help us with our expectation of the coming of Messiah?
6. In what ways can Jesus help us with the mess of life? What is a comfort to you?
7. How does Jesus as the anticipated Messiah build confidence in your faith?