

SESSION 1 THE HOLY ONE OF ISRAEL

*Context: Christ at the centre of all the Scriptures (Luke 24: 25-27, 44-48; John 5:39-40)
The three fulfilment levels of prophecy.*

1. THE CORE OF THE BOOK

1:2-4 A devastating analysis

1:21-26 The dominating question

How is the faithless city to become the faithful city?

65:17-19; 66:10,12,22-23 The divine solution

The three-fold portrait - Immanuel, Suffering Servant, Anointed Conqueror

2. THE CALL OF THE PROPHET (6:1-13)

6:1-4 A new vision of the Holy One

6:5-7 A new realism about sin

- conviction

- confession

- cleansing

6:8-13 A new focus of service

- willing commitment

- disappointing outcome

- ultimate hope