

**Reflection Questions:** Do I truly listen to Jesus as the very Word of God? If so, do I obey Him? Do I allow what He says about Himself shape my view of God and what pleases Him, even if it contradicts my own thoughts? How is Jesus revealing Himself to me today through Scripture?

How can we pray for one another and our church this week?

### Quotes to Ponder

*Learn much of the Lord Jesus. For every look at yourself, take ten looks at Christ. Let your soul be filled with a sense of the excellence of Christ.*

Robert Murray M'Cheyne

*Jesus is the fullness and culmination of all revelation, for the prophetic dignity in Christ leads us to know that in the sum of doctrine as He has given it to us all part of perfect wisdom are contained.*

John Calvin

*When the gospel is preached... Christ walks among His people. It's the miracle of Christmas all over again: Christ clothed Himself in humanity, spurning the language of angels to speak with the tongues of mortals.*

Donald McCullough

*Old Testament prophecy was a means by which an infallible God used fallible men to bring an infallible word to fallible people*

John Blanchard

*It was the duty of the prophets to reveal the will of God to the people, to interpret the law in its moral and spiritual aspects, to protest against formalism and sin, calling the people back to the path of duty, and to direct attention to the glorious promises of God for the future*

Louis Berkhof

*Every deficiency or inadequacy in the Old Testament prophets contrasts with the fullness and perfection of Jesus Christ, the Prophet of God. We see that looking back, but the Old Testament believers also saw that looking forward.*

David Murray



Jesus As Prophet

*Sermon*  
*Notes*

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1. What is a Prophet?

2. Jesus is The Prophet

1. What in the text/sermon impacted you? Encouraged you? Convicted you? Challenged you? Confused you? Comforted you?

*John 12:47-50* —

2. According to the following verses, what characterized on Old Testament Prophet? How does Jesus fit these characteristics?

*Exodus 7:1* —

*Isaiah 8:18* —

*Numbers 11:17* —

*Jeremiah 1:4-5* —

*Deuteronomy 18:15-19* —

*Ezekiel 4:3* —

*1 Kings 13:5* —

3. Compare *Deuteronomy 18:15* and *Matthew 17:5*. What do we see here?

5. What role did prayer play in Jesus' earthly ministry? If Jesus needed to pray, how much more do we need to pray?

6. What words in *Hebrews 1:1-4* reveal Jesus' prophetic role in revealing God's truth?

7. How is Jesus' ministry of revealing God & His Word like that of Moses and the other prophets?

In what ways is it better than that of the prophets who came before Him?

4. In *Deuteronomy 18:18* God tells Moses, *I will put My words in his mouth, and he shall speak to them all that I command him*. What do these verses say about Jesus?

*John 1:18* —

*John 14:24* —

*John 3:33-36* —

*John 17:8* —

*John 8:28* —

*John 14:10* —

8. How are Jesus' words different than those of all the other prophets?

9. What does Peter say about Jesus in *2 Peter 1:16-21*?

10. How does Jesus' prophetic ministry continue after His ascension?

*Mark 16:20* —

*John 16:13-14* —

*John 14:26* —

*Hebrews 1:1-2* —