

Series: Isaiah 40-66
Lesson: Isaiah 56:1-57:57:21 - Justice and Righteous
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Theme: The God High and Holy Sends a Preacher

1. The post exilic community will be inclusive (Isa. 56:1-5).
 - a. Justice and righteousness form the standard by which God wants His community to function.
 - b. This community is based on the spiritual descendants of Abraham.
 - c. Eunuchs and foreigners are two groups that have been excluded and now will be included.

2. The post exilic community is at risk because the leaders are ineffective (Isa. 56:9-57:2).

3. The post exilic community was engaged in idolatry.
 - a. The people feared the idols but they didn't fear God.

4. God's response to the post exilic community in incarnation (Isa. 57:14-21).
 - a. Isa. 57:15 - How is God described?
 - b. Isa. 57:17-19 - What does God promise?
 - c. Isa. 57:14-21 - God is the subject of 19 verbs in this passage:
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