

The Return from Captivity

Section 07: Zechariah 4-6

Wednesday, August 23, 2017

Read: Ezra 5:1-5, Zechariah 4-6

Intro: After laying the foundation for the temple, God's people encounter opposition, become discouraged and frightened and stopped working on the Temple. Sixteen years pass while the work is idle until God sends the prophets Haggai and Zechariah to get the work started again. Haggai uses a direct "consider your ways" message. Zechariah uses visions and messages of exhortation, consolation and encouragement. Zechariah saw eight visions in one night...

Vision #5: The Lampstand and the Two Olive Trees (4:1-14)

- What details stand out to you in this vision? _____

- What is the message of this vision to God's people? _____

Vision #6: The Flying Roll (5:1-4)

- What details stand out to you in this vision? _____

- What is the message of this vision to God's people? _____

Vision #7: The Epha and the Woman (5:5-11)

- What details stand out to you in this vision? _____

- What is the message of this vision to God's people? _____

Vision #8: The Four Chariots (6:1-8)

- What details stand out to you in this vision? _____

- What is the message of this vision to God's people? _____

The Symbolic Crowning of the High Priest (6:9-15)

- Who is crowned? _____
- What does his crowning mean? _____

- Those "far off" will do what? _____
- "it will take place if..." _____