sermon notes

Jesus in the Psalms February 5, 2023

introduction: The day Jesus rose from the dead, He declared to a group of His disciples, "These are the words which I spoke to you while I was still with you, that all things must be fulfilled which were written in the Law of Moses and the Prophets **and the Psalms** concerning Me.' And He opened their understanding, that they might comprehend the Scriptures" (Luke 24:44-45).

Specific statements in Psalms pointing forward to Jesus' crucifixion — some put in writing up to 1000 years in advance! — include:

1. He would be ______hated__ without reason (Psalm 35:19).

applied to Jesus in John 15:25

supporting Scripture: Romans 5:8

2. He would be betrayed by a ______friend_____ (Psalm 41:9).

applied to Jesus in John 13:18; Matthew 26:50

3. Though rejected, He would be the chief _____cornerstone____ (Psalm 118:22-23).

applied to Jesus in Matthew 21:42; Acts 4:10-11; Ephesians 2:20; 1 Peter 2:6-7

4. His hands and feet would be _____pierced____ (Psalm 22:16).

applied to Jesus in the Gospels — He was crucified

supporting Scriptures: 1 Peter 2:24; John 20:25, 27-28

personal application: Give your life to the Lord who gave His life for you.