

BBTC Vision

To be an **Intentional Disciple-Making Church** of **effective priests and kings**.

BBTC Mission

To **share Christ** as we **mature in Him**.

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Evangelising, **N**urturing, **D**iscipling





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JUDGES – 2 SAMUEL



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JUDGES

Who was the last judge of Israel?

1) Samson

2) Samuel

3) Samsung



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RUTH

What is the last word in the book of Ruth?

1) David

2) Naomi

3) Ruth



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1 SAMUEL

Who was the first king of Israel?

- 1) David
- 2) Saul
- 3) Solomon



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2 SAMUEL

What did David want to build for God in 2 Samuel 7?

1) Tabernacle

2) Temple

3) Tent



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WEEK 15 • APRIL 12 - 18

✓	DATE	WALK <i>Beginner track</i>	RUN <i>Advanced track</i>
SUNDAY			
✓	APRIL 12	1 KINGS 5-6	2 CHRONICLES 31-33
MONDAY			
	APRIL 13	1 KINGS 7-8	2 CHRONICLES 34-36

WEEK 15 • REFLECTION QUESTIONS

1. What patterns of faithfulness or failure do you see in these chapters?
2. What can you learn from them about your own choices or habits?

BACK TO PREVIOUS VIEW OLD TESTAMENT

1 KINGS

PURPOSE	KEY TOPICS	GENRE	CHAPTER/THEME
King Solomon's early prosperity through loyalty ends in disobedience that leads to a divided kingdom. Most kings that follow him do evil, but God remains faithful to the Davidic Covenant to remind Judah of its own need to obey His Law.	Temple, Division	Pre-exilic Historical Narrative	1-11 United Kingdom 12-22 Divided Kingdom
KEY VERSES 9:4-5 11:11, 11:34-35	AUTHOR Unknown	AUDIENCE Jewish people living in exile	WHEN 970 to 853BC
KEY WORDS Kingdom, Heart, Wisdom, Covenant, Sin	SETTING Final days of King David and Solomon's reign	VIDEO AID https://biblicentric.com/videos/1kings/	

2 KINGS

PURPOSE	KEY TOPICS	GENRE	CHAPTER/THEME
In 2 Kings the covenant disobedience and resultant downfalls of the kingdoms of Israel and Judah are contrasted with God's loyalty to the Davidic Covenant. Israel is reminded of the need to obey the Law.	Downfall, unfaithfulness	Pre-exilic Historical Narrative	1-17 Divided Kingdom 18-25 Surviving Kingdom
KEY VERSES 17:22-23 23:27	AUTHOR Unknown	AUDIENCE Jewish people living in exile	WHEN 853 to 560BC
KEY WORDS Covenant, Heart, Sin, High Places	SETTING Ahab's death and Elijah's departure	VIDEO AID https://biblicentric.com/videos/2kings/	



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Alex Choo



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Bethesda (Bedok-Tampines) Church
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Collect your Read.40 token! (Part 1 of 4)

Collect yours after the service from the back of the Sanctuary, at the Gallery exit or L1 lift lobby.



1-2 KINGS

1-2 CHRONICLES

WHO IS YOUR  KING ?





King Willem-Alexander

Netherlands



King Charles III
United Kingdom



King Norodom Sihamoni
Cambodia

Vajiralongkorn (Rama X)
Thailand





WHO IS YOUR KING ?

1. Look to your King
2. Listen to your King
3. Let your King lead

1 Samuel 8



LET'S PRAY

1 SAMUEL
Transitions



1

Setting

2

Problem

3

Solution

4

Conclusion

Genre: Narrative



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²The name of his firstborn was Joel and the name of his second was Abijah,
and they served at Beersheba. ³But his sons did not follow his ways.
They turned aside after dishonest gain and accepted bribes and perverted justice.
⁴So all the elders of Israel gathered together and came to Samuel at Ramah.
⁵They said to him, "You are old, and your sons do not follow your ways;
now appoint a king to lead us, such as all the other nations have."
⁶But when they said, "Give us a king to lead us,"
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1 Samuel 8:1-6

Setting



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1 Samuel 8:1-6

Setting: Request



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Problem

1 Samuel 8:7–8



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Problem : Rejection

1 Samuel 8:7–8



Setting: Request

Problem : Rejection

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Solution

1 Samuel 8:9–18



Setting: Request

Problem : Rejection

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Solution : Reply

1 Samuel 8:9–18



Setting: Request

Problem : Rejection

Solution : Reply

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1 Samuel 8:19–22

Conclusion



Setting: Request

Problem : Rejection

Solution : Reply

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1 Samuel 8:19–22

Conclusion: Results



⁵ Now if you obey me fully and keep my covenant, then **out of all nations you will be my treasured possession.** Although the whole earth is mine,
⁶ you will be for me **a kingdom of priests and a holy nation.**
These are the words you are to speak to the Israelites.”

Exodus 19:5-6

You may indeed set a king over you
whom the LORD your God will choose...

Deuteronomy 17:15a



When **God** is your King...



1. Look to your King

⁵ The people said to Samuel, “You are old, and your sons do not follow your ways;
now **appoint a king to lead us, such as all the other nations have.**”

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1 Samuel 8:5-7



Who do you
look to when
you're feeling down





2. Listen to your King

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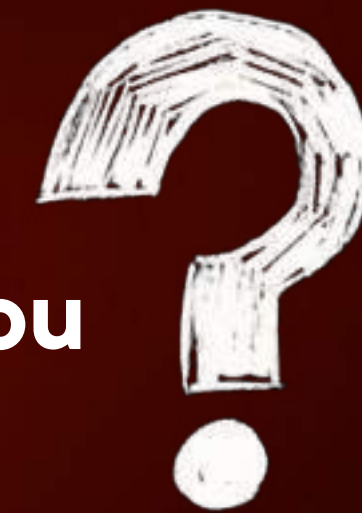
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1 Samuel 8:7, 9, 22



Are you **listening to**
what God is saying to you





3. Let your King lead

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1 Samuel 8:19-20





Jesus
— King of Kings —



Just as the **Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve,**
and to **give His life as a ransom** for many.

Matthew 20:28

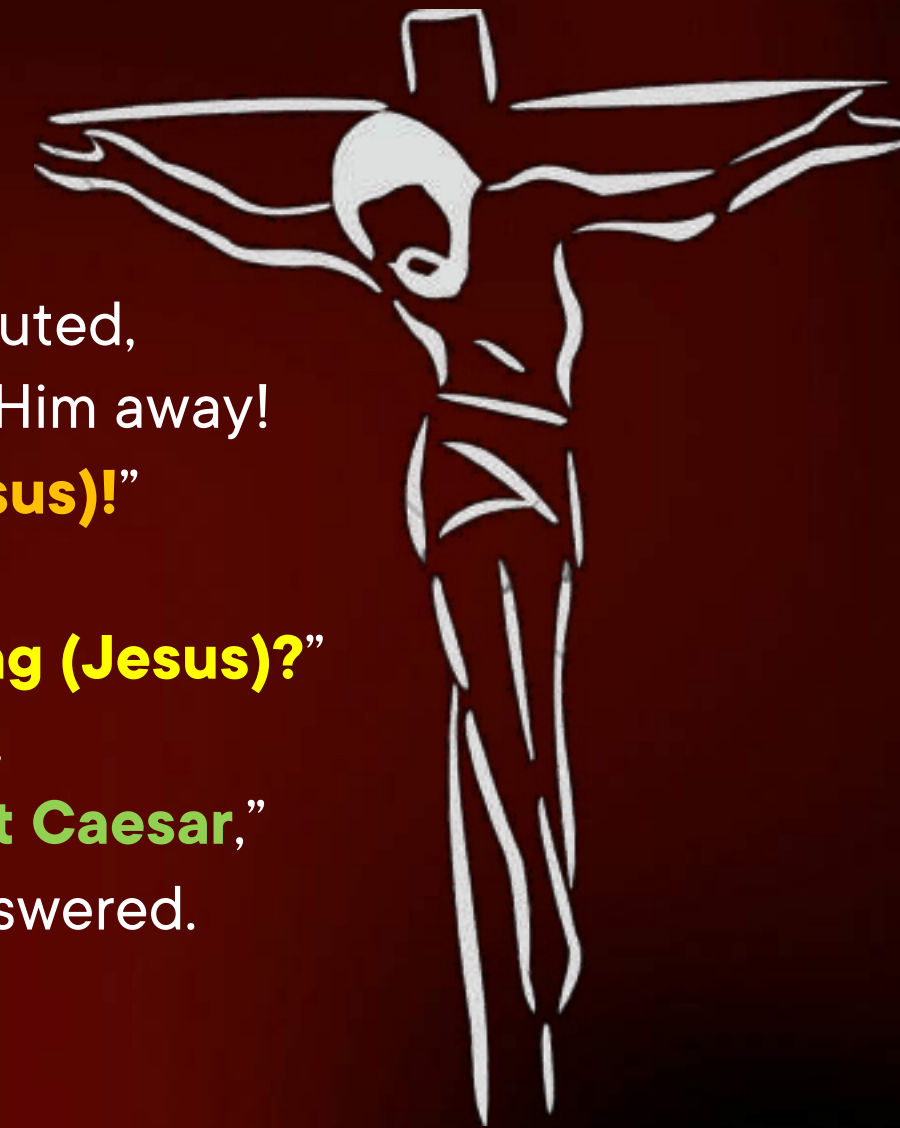
But the Jews shouted,
“Take Him away! Take Him away!
Crucify Him (Jesus)!”

“Shall I crucify your king (Jesus)?”

Pilate asked.

“We have no king but Caesar,”
the chief priests answered.

John 19:15





Most people want **Jesus as their consultant,**
rather than their King.
But Jesus does not come that way.

- Timothy Keller

Who is your **King?**





Jesus

The word "Jesus" is written in a cursive, brush-stroke font. The letters are filled with a vibrant rainbow gradient, transitioning from yellow on the left to red on the right. The word is set against a dark, gradient background that shifts from a deep red on the left to black on the right. Numerous small, multi-colored confetti-like specks are scattered around the word, particularly concentrated above and below it. A long, thin, rainbow-colored brushstroke underline extends from the left side of the word, ending in a loop on the right.

WHO IS YOUR  KING ?



WHO IS YOUR KING?

- 1. Look to your King**
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LET'S PRAY

