

1. **Jesus of Nazareth: a new branch from Jesse's Stump (11:1)**
  - a. What the Davidic monarchy was (Gen. 18:17-19; 49:10; Dt. 4:5-8; 17:18-20; Ju. 21:25; 1 Sam. 13:14; 16:1, 7, 13; 2 Sam. 7:5-16; 23:2-5)
  - b. How it failed (2 Sam. 11; 23:5; 1 Kg. 11:4-8; 12:16-17; 2 Kg. 24:1-4)
  - c. God's promise revoked? (Ps. 74:20; 80; 89:19-37, 38-51)
  - d. Why not a generic savior? (Gen. 1:28; Gen. 44:14-34; 49:10; Ps. 8; 89:19-37; 132:11-12, 17; 110; Mt. 1:1; Lk. 1:68-70; Jn. 1:14; Acts 13:21-23; Ro. 1:3; 2 Tim. 2:8; Col. 1:17; Heb. 2:5-9; Rev. 5:5)
  - e. The flower: new life out of a dead stump (Nu. 17; Jer. 23:5; Lk. 2:8-14; Rev. 1:17-18)
  - f. The branch will bear fruit (Gen. 1:11, 28; Ps. 1:3; Rev. 22:1-2)
2. **Jesus is filled with the Holy Spirit (11:2-3a)**
  - a. The Spirit rests upon Jesus. (Gen. 2:7; 6:3; Dt. 34:9; 1 Sam. 10:10; 16:13-14; 2 Kg. 2:15; Mt. 3:16-17; Acts 13:21-23; 1 Cor. 15:45; Rev. 4:5)
  - b. Wisdom, Insight, and Counsel (2 Sam. 16:23; 1 Kg. 3:28; 10:1-5; 12:6-8; Pro. 1:8-9; 8:14-16; 31:1-9; Lk. 12:57ff; Rev. 3:18)
  - c. Might (1 Kg. 15:23; 16:5; 16:27; Acts 1:1; Ro. 1:4; 1 Cor. 2:4; Eph. 6:10; 1 Thess. 1:5; 2 Thess. 1:5-10; Rev. 5:12)
  - d. Knowledge and the Fear of the Lord (Job 28:28; Pro. 1:7; 30:32; Jer. 9:23-34; Jn. 16:13)
3. **Jesus is the Good King (11:3b-5)**
  - a. He delights in the Lord (Ps. 4:6-7; 63; Mt. 11:25-26; Jn. 2:24; 4:34)
  - b. He judges rightly, not by appearances (Mt. 22:16; Lk. 12:57; Jn. 7:24; 8:16; Rev. 20:11-13)
  - c. He takes up the cause of the poor (Ru. 4; 1 Sam. 22:1-2; 1 Kg. 3:16-28; Mt. 5:3; 20:29-34; Lk. 1:53; 6:20; 18:7-8; Acts 20:35; Gal. 2:10)
  - d. He is dressed for action (1 Sam. 17:48-49; Ps. 115; Is. 30:7; 59:15-20; Jn. 13; Eph. 6:10ff; 2 Thess. 1:5-10; Rev. 19:11-16, 21)

**Isaya 11:1-5**

**1** Basi litatoka chipukizi katika shina la Yese, na tawi litakalotoka katika mizizi yake litazaa matunda.

**2** Na roho ya Bwana atakaa juu yake, roho ya hekima na ufahamu, roho ya shauri na uweza, roho ya maarifa na ya kumcha Bwana;

**3** na furaha yake itakuwa katika kumcha Bwana; wala hatahukumu kwa kuyafuata ayaonayo kwa macho yake, wala hataonya kwa kuyafuata ayasikiayo kwa masikio yake;

**4** bali kwa haki atawahukumu maskini, naye atawaonya wanyenyekevu wa dunia kwa adili; naye ataipiga dunia kwa fimbo ya kinywa chake, na kwa pumzi ya midomo yake atawaua wabaya.

**5** Na haki itakuwa mshipi wa viuno vyake, na uaminifu mshipi wa kujifungia.