DISCUSSION GUIDE
APRIL 1 & 2

WHO IS HE

# Jesus: Who Is He? The Fulfillment of Prophecy

ISAIAH 53 | WEEK 1

# **Opening Questions**

- 1. What does our world/culture think of Jesus in your opinion and experience? What is positive? What is negative? What is prevalent in American culture?
- 2. What were you taught about who Jesus was in your family growing up?
- 3. How many friends or acquaintances do you have who don't know who Jesus is?

### In the Word

- 1. What did you learn from Pastor Carter's message about Jesus? What more would you like to learn?
- 2. Read Isaiah 53.
- 3. After reading through Isaiah 53, make a list of all the specific references to, or descriptions of, Jesus found in the chapter. Which one(s) speak most powerfully to you? Why?
- 4. Pastor Carter mentioned that Jesus' miracles and character reveal who He is. In what ways are these seen in the Bible? Which miracles are most powerful to you? What else does the Bible tell us about Jesus' character?
- 5. Pastor Carter mentioned a number of verses regarding Jesus and fulfilled prophecy including: Isaiah 7:14, Isaiah 16:5, Micah 5:2, Isaiah 9:1-2, Zechariah 9:9, and Isaiah 53:3. Look at these verses specifically. What more can we learn from them?

6. Considering Jesus' miracles, character, and fulfilled prophecies, what insights do you have about who Jesus is? Write down two or three that impact you the most from this study.

## **Making It Personal**

- What decision, new commitment or change of direction do you need to make in your own life based on Jesus' real and powerful identity?
- 2. Write down at least one personal application point you can carry out before Easter Weekend.
- 3. Make a list of three to five names of people you know who don't know Jesus or you're not sure if they know Jesus. Begin praying for them this week and use Pathway invite cards to invite them to attend weekend service with you Easter Weekend.
- 4. Report back to the group regarding #2 and #3 above throughout this series—encourage each other through text messages or emails during the weeks.

# **Continued Learning**

1. Who are other people in the Bible or from history who have testified about who Jesus is (positive and negative)? What can we learn from them?

# **Additional Notes**

