## "CLIMBING THE MOUNTAIN THAT IS ISAIAH" REV. JOSH DESCH SUNDAY, MAY 4, 2025

Sermon Title: Climbing the Mountain That Is Isaiah

Scripture text: Isaiah 1:1-20

## Outline:

- 1. The Situation: God's Divine \_\_\_\_\_ of His People
- 2. The Problem: Judah's \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. The Solution: God's \_\_\_\_\_ and His \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. The Horizon: Judah's Glorious \_\_\_\_\_



## **Questions:**

Ice Breaker Question — What is the hardest physical thing you have ever done? It could be a marathon, a climb or something related to work. After it was over, were you glad you did it?

Transition Question — In what ways is the book of Isaiah like climbing a mountain?

Observation Question — Isaiah's call to ministry is found in Isaiah 6. Chapters 1-5 are a collection of his teaching/preaching which occurred after his call to ministry. Why do you think Isaiah chose to wait until chapter 6 to give his call to ministry?

Observation Question — In this passage, Isaiah describes a society in decay and a church that is distracted and corrupt. What lessons can we learn today from God's Word to his people in these circumstances?

Reflection Question — Why does the health of the church matter so much for the health of the world?

Application Question — How is God's promise and warning still relevant for us today, as the people of God? How might both his promises and warnings in His Word impact our Christian lives?