# Haggai, Zechariah, and Malachi

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Class Schedule

Lesson	Date	Title	Teacher
1	Sunday, Aug 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Class Introduction	Sam
2	Wednesday, Aug 5 <sup>th</sup>	Introduction to Haggai	Sam
3	Sunday, Aug 9 <sup>th</sup>	The Book of Haggai	Sam
4	Wednesday, Aug 12 <sup>th</sup>	Introduction to Zechariah	Erik
5	Sunday, Aug 16 <sup>th</sup>	Zechariah 1-2: Visions 1-3	Erik
6	Wednesday, Aug 19 <sup>th</sup>	Zechariah 3-4: Visions 4-5	Erik
7	Sunday, Aug 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Zechariah 5-6: Visions 6-8	Erik
8	Wednesday, Aug 26 <sup>th</sup>	Zechariah 7-11: The Two Burdens: Part 1	Erik
9	Sunday, Aug 30 <sup>th</sup>	Zechariah 12-14: The Two Burdens: Part 2	Erik
10	Wednesday, Sep 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Introduction to Malachi	Sam
11	Sunday, Sep 29 <sup>th</sup>	Malachi 1-2	Sam
12	Wednesday, Sep 6 <sup>th</sup>	Malachi 3-4	Sam
13	Sunday, Sep 9 <sup>th</sup>	Application	Sam

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Lesson 13: Application

The writings of the prophets are much more than a glimpse at past events. Through the successes and failures of God's people and His continual instruction to them, we get a very personal look at God's character as well as invaluable instruction on what God wants and how we are supposed to act as His children.

Consider the following lessons drawn from the prophets covered in this class and be prepared to discuss specific examples of where these lessons can help us in our lives today.

#### Haggai

Are we more interested in our own pleasure than doing the work of God? (1:4)

The proper reaction to trial and tribulation. (1:9-12)

Confessing our failures is a good first step. (2:12-14)

Act courageously for God since we have assurance that He will always be with us. (2:18-19)

God is in control. (2:20-23)

#### Zechariah

God knows the true heart of our worship. (7:4-7)

We are expected to live morally. (7:8-10)

God's reaction to stubbornness. (7:11-14)

God's message is for all. (8:20-23)

The Day of the Lord is coming. (Ch. 14)

#### Malachi

Our relationship with God is based on love. (1:2)

God only wants our best. (1:6-8)

Responsibilities are taken seriously. (2:1-9)

Faithfulness [to God, to marriage, etc.] is very important. (2:10-12)

We have hope of a coming great day of the Lord. (4:1-6)

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