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Jesus Christ, prophecies concerning

The OT points ahead to the person and ministry of Jesus Christ. Christ's fulfilment of OT prophecy is often noted by NT writers as a demonstration of God's faithfulness to his promises of salvation and as confirmation of the divine authority of Jesus Christ.

Jesus Christ fulfils OT prophecy
He fulfils the OT as a whole Lk 24:27 See
also Mt 5:17; Lk 24:44; 2Co 1:20

He fulfils God's promises to Abraham Gal 3:14 See also Lk 1:54-55,72-74; Gal 3:16

He fulfils God's promises through the prophets Ac 10:43 See also Mt 26:56; Ac 3:18,24; 13:27; Ro 1:2; 1Pe 1:10

Prophecies about Jesus Christ's birth Mt 1:23 See also Isa 7:14; Mt 1:21; Lk 1:31-32; Isa 9:6; Mt 2:6-7; Mic 5:2; Mt 2:15; Hos 11:1

Prophecies about Jesus Christ's ministry
He brings good news Lk 4:17-19 See also
Isa 61:1-2; Mt 4:13-16; Isa 9:1-2

He divides people and is rejected Lk 2:34-35 See also Mt 3:11-12 pp Mk 1:7-8 pp Lk 3:16-17; Mt 21:42 pp Mk 12:10-11 pp Lk 20:17; Ps 118:22-23; Jn 13:18; Ps 41:9

He teaches in parables Mt 13:35 *See also* **Ps** 78:2; **Mt** 13:13-15 pp Mk 4:11-12 pp Lk 8:10; **Isa** 6:9-10

Prophecies about Jesus Christ's death
The Lord's Supper Mt 26:28 pp Mk 14:24

pp Lk 22:20 See also **Isa** 53:12; **Jer** 31:34

The betrayal Mt 27:9-10

Matthew brings together two prophetic passages fulfilled by this incident: **Jer** 19:1-13; **Zec** 11:12-13 **In** 18:9; 6:39

The cross Mt 27:46 pp Mk 15:34 *See also* **Ps** 22:1; **Mt** 27:35 fn; **Ps** 22:18; **Lk** 23:46; **Ps** 31:5

Prophecies about Jesus Christ's resurrection and ascension

Mt 12:39-40 pp Lk 11:29-30 See also Jnh
1:17; Ac 2:25-28; Ps 16:8-11; Ac 2:31; 13:35;
2:34; Ps 110:1; Eph 4:8; Ps 68:18

Prophecies about Jesus Christ's titles
Jesus Christ as Son of God Ac 13:32-33
See also Ps 2:7; Heb 1:5; 5:5; Mt 22:44 pp Mk
12:36 pp Lk 20:42; Ps 110:1; Heb 1:8-9; Ps
45:6-7

Jesus Christ as Son of Man Mt 26:64 pp Mk 14:62 pp Lk 22:69 *See also* **Da** 7:13-14; **Mk** 8:31 pp Lk 9:22

Jesus Christ as Son of David Rev 22:16 See also 2Sa 7:12-16 pp 1Ch 17:11-14; Lk 1:32-33; Isa 9:7; Ac 13:34; Isa 55:3; Ro 15:12; Isa 11:1

Jesus Christ as the coming Messianic king Mt 26:31 pp Mk 14:27; Zec 13:7; Mt 21:4-5; Zec 9:9

Jesus Christ as the suffering servant Ac 8:32-35 See also Isa 53:7-8; Mt 12:17-21; Isa 42:1-4

Jesus Christ as the prophet who is to

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come Ac 3:22 See also **Dt** 18:18; **Lk** 4:18-19;

Isa 61:1-2; **Jn** 6:14

Jesus Christ as priest Heb 7:21 See also Ps

110:4; **Heb** 5:5-6; 7:17