## The Gospel Realized Series The Gospel According To Isaiah, Again Isaiah 59

- I. God Can Save (1)
  - A. His arm (Jesus) is not too short
  - B. His ear is not too dull
  - C. Compare these with what comes next in verse 2
- II. Sin Is The Supreme Problem (2-8)
  - A. The power of sin
    - 1. To separate us from God (arm)
    - 2. To cause God not to hear (ear)
  - B. The picture of the sinner
    - 1. Does wickedness (hands/fingers)
    - 2. Speaks wickedness (lips/tongue)
    - 3. Social injustice
    - 4. Disregard for the truth
    - 5. Develops patterns of wickedness
  - C. Consequences
    - 1. Their path is crooked
    - 2. The do not know peace
- III. The Confession of the Wicked (9-15a)
  - A. We are not righteous
  - B. We are in darkness
  - C. We acknowledge our helplessness
  - D. We acknowledge our sin
- IV. God's Grace filled Response (15b-21)
  - A. God sees the true condition of things only helplessness and evil
  - B. God Himself intervenes
    - 1. He will bring both righteousness and judgment
    - 2. The fear of the Lord

- 3. A redeemer will come
- C. The blessing the Redeemer brings
  - 1. Forgiveness for the repentant
  - 2. An everlasting covenant for the redeemed