

Message Notes: UNCOVERED

Anointing Uncovered - 1 Samuel 16:1-13

What is it about an optical illusion that can be entertaining?
Frustrating?

What illusion had Samuel believed?

Take a heifer with you and say, 'I have come to sacrifice to the LORD.' Invite Jesse to the sacrifice, and _____ will show you what to do. You are to anoint for me the one _____ indicate" (1 Samuel 16:3)

What would Samuel look for as he chose the next king of Israel?
What did the LORD look at?

List some illusions that you might see in your everyday life:

How could David know he was to be the next king?

How was David a picture of Jesus, the true Anointed One?

How has God anointed us?

What does Jesus do for us so we are not caught up in the illusions of life?

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GETTING STARTED

Where is your favorite place to browse or go window-shopping?

INTO MY HEART

What were some thoughts from the text / message that stuck with you this week?

What reasons might Samuel have for being afraid of Saul?

What reasons might the elders of Bethlehem have for being afraid of Samuel? (see 1 Samuel 15)

Why might we be tempted to evaluate people based on their external qualities rather than on what's inside?

How was David's anointing similar to Jesus? How was it different?

What confidence could David have as he looked to the future?

What confidence can we have in every part of our lives?

CLOSING PRAYER

Lord Jesus, I can only see outward appearances when I look with my eyes. Please...