

Today's Message

*The Harmony
of Heaven*

Isaiah 11:1-10

“The Peaceable Kingdom”
By Edward Hicks



“Look, this is exactly what was prophesied through Isaiah!”

- New Testament Disciples

Matthew 3:3

“This is he who was spoken of through the prophet Isaiah: “A voice of one calling in the wilderness, ‘Prepare the way for the Lord, make straight paths for him.’””

Isaiah 40:3

“A voice of one calling: “In the wilderness prepare the way for the LORD; make straight in the desert a highway for our God.””

Matthew 3:16-17

As soon as Jesus was baptized, he went up out of the water. At that moment heaven was opened, and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and alighting on him. And a voice from heaven said, “This is my Son, whom I love; with him I am well pleased.

Isaiah 11:2

The Spirit of the LORD will rest on him,
the Spirit of wisdom and of understanding,
the Spirit of counsel and of might,
the Spirit of the knowledge and fear of the LORD

**Jesus brought forth the Messianic
Age of peace, grace, and harmony
for the world.**

**Some of this Messianic Age is
experienced now, and some of it will
be realized in the future when God's
Kingdom comes in full.**

Mennonite Confession of Faith

Article 24 “The Reign of God”

“We believe that the church is called to live now according to the model of the future reign of God. Thus, we are given a foretaste of the kingdom that God will one day establish in full.

The church is to be a spiritual, social, and economic reality, demonstrating now the justice, righteousness, love, and peace of the age to come. The church does this in obedience to its Lord and in anticipation that the kingdom of this world will become the kingdom of our Lord.”

We can do our part of
bringing God's Kingdom
to this earth!

HARMONY

HALLELUJAH!

Handel's Messiah: "Hallelujah Chorus"



Cloverton Presents:

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*Hallelujah
Christmas*

The background of the image is a dark blue night sky. In the upper right quadrant, there is a prominent constellation of stars, likely the Big Dipper, rendered in a light blue or white color. The bottom portion of the image is filled with a dense layer of white, fluffy clouds, which appear to be illuminated from below, creating a soft glow. The overall atmosphere is serene and celestial.

Prayer of Response and Sending