

**TODAY'S
SCRIPTURE
FOCUS:
ISAIAH 58
1-14**

**"PRACTICE
LEADS
TO
PROMISE"**

"If you want your church to become purpose-driven, you will have to lead it through four critical phases." (pg. 93-94)

4 CRITICAL PHASES:

(pg. 94)

1. Define Your Purpose;
2. Communicate Purposes;
3. Organize Around Purposes
4. Apply Your Purposes;

"It isn't our job to create the purposes of the church but to discover them."
(pg. 98)

"Once you have defined the purposes of your church, you must continually clarify and communicate them..." (pg. 112)

SERMONIC POINTS:

#1: PEOPLE

#2: PRACTICE

#3: PROJECTION

#4: PROMISE

**SERMONIC
POINT #1:
PEOPLE**

(vs. 1-2)

"...Tell MY PEOPLE
their transgression,
and the house of
Jacob their sins."

Isaiah 58:1

**SERMONIC
POINT #2:
PRACTICE**

(vs. 3-7)

"Is this not the fast that I
have chosen: to loose the
bonds of wickedness, to
undo the heavy burdens, to
let the oppressed go free,
and that you break every
yoke?"

Isaiah 58:6

**SERMONIC
POINT #3:
PROJECTION**

(vs. 8-10)

"Then your light will
break forth like the
morning..."

"...then your light shall
dawn in the darkness-"
Isaiah 58:8 & 58:10

SERMONIC POINT #4:

PROMISE

(vs. 11-14)

"...You shall be called
the Repairer of the
Breach, the Restorer of
Streets to Dwell In."
Isaiah 58:12b