

Sermon Notes

The Passion of Jesus Christ

John 2:13-22

Intro: connecting with God... how can we? & how much do we care?

The Temple... (the 'meeting place')

1. ...and the startling passion of Jesus (13-16)

2. ...and the stunning identity of Jesus (16-17)

- The Promised "Davidic" King (the "Christ", Psalm 69)
- The Unique Son of God (see 1:14, 20:31)

3. ...and the shocking prediction of Jesus' Passion (18-22)

- The Sign: destructive death and third day resurrection!
- The Significance: **Jesus is the place to connect with God**

(See also 1:14, 1:18, 1:29, 1:51!!)

Conclusion: If you want to connect with God... come to Jesus