

## Parallels Between King David and the Lord Jesus Christ

The promise of enduring kingdom through King David is fulfilled in the Lord Jesus

David is anointed by Samuel; a Levite

Jesus is anointed (baptized) by John the Baptist; a Levite

David was persecuted by Saul

Jesus was persecuted by the religious leaders and the devil

David reigned over one tribe first, then all of them  
world

Jesus reigned over a few followers, and now reigns over the whole  
world

David was anointed when he was 30 years old

Jesus was anointed when He was 30 years old

David wedded two daughters of the king  
and Gentiles

Jesus is wedded to the Bride (the Church) which is made up of Jews  
and Gentiles

David repaid good to Saul his enemy

Jesus preached that we should “pray for our enemies.”

David was after the heart of God

Jesus was the Son of God

David received the kingdom from Saul his persecutor

Jesus received the spiritual Kingdom of Israel from His persecutors

David wept over Saul at his death  
His last week

Jesus wept over Jerusalem’s destruction when He entered it before  
His last week

David handed over the kingdom to his son Solomon  
Church

Jesus handed over the Keys of the Kingdom to His Apostles and the  
Church

For David’s sake sins were forgiven to his posterity

For Jesus’ sake sins are forgiven to all nations through faith