



Jesus Christ: Threefold Office

Messianic Prophecy

It's not a mess; it's magnificent!



“Anointed One” = “Messiah” in Hebrew = “Christ” in Greek

There are three categories of people who are anointed into their office . . .

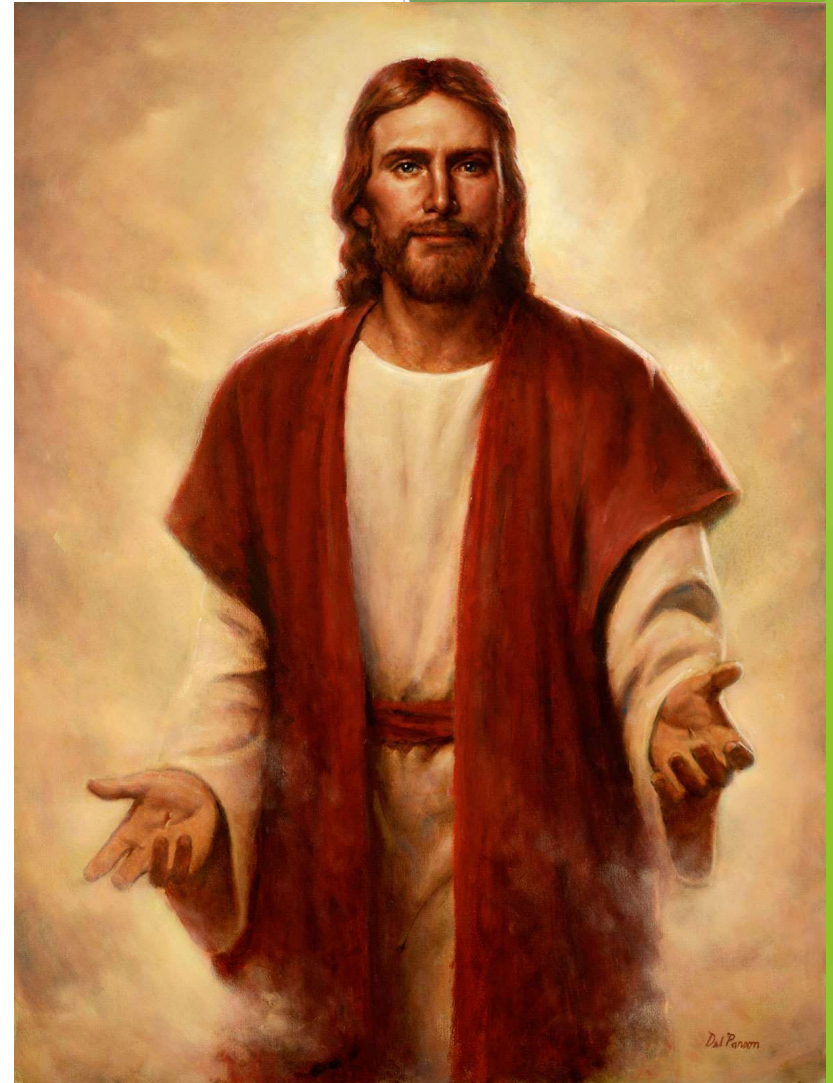
Prophet

The main job of a prophet is to ***speak the Word of God***

(Forth-telling for God may include sometimes Fore-telling the future)

“Thus says the Lord. . .”

Jesus is the Word of God made flesh so everything He says is always the Word of God and so He always speaks for God.



Priest

The main job of a priest is to ***intercede for others before God.***

Old Testament priests did this when they offered up animal sacrifices on behalf of the sins of the people.

Jesus offered up Himself as the sacrifice for our sins. He is both the sacrificer and the sacrifice.



King

The main job of a king is to
rule and reign.

*Jesus rules and reigns over
three Kingdoms.*

Kingdom of Power
Over all Creation

Kingdom of Grace
Over the Church

Kingdom of Glory
Over Heaven

