

The New Covenant

Introduction:

What are you forgetful about?

What things do you get “nostalgic” about? Events? Things?

Observation:

Summarize what “such a high priest” means, reflecting on the last chapter.

Where does He serve?

What “better promises” in v. 6 is the ministry of Jesus founded on?

Where is the quotation in v. 8 and following from?

Interpretation:

What is the relationship between the earthly sanctuary and the heavenly sanctuary?

Why does dependence on the law for access to God fail?

Why is the old covenant obsolete now?

What are the terms under the new covenant? What happens to sin?

How does Jesus mediate the new covenant?

Application:

Reflect on v. 10. What does this change about your view of your relationship with God?

Which aspects of this new covenant do you wish to experience more?

What is it like for you to know that there is worship going on in heaven? Do you see your times of worship joining that heavenly worship?