

Sermon Notes

October 20, 2019

High Priest

Hebrews 4:14-5:10

Reminder: Hebrews was written to Jewish Christians to encourage them to continue to follow Jesus and not return to Judaism.

Why is Jesus, the Son of God, called a Great _____ _____?

- Jesus _____ the _____ of the High Priest.
- One of the most important roles of the high priest is to go before God to _____ for the people, and to offer _____ for the people so that God would _____ them.
- As the _____ High Priest, Jesus is _____ before the throne of God and continues to _____ for all God's people.

Jesus _____ every temptation _____ whatever we might ever experience.

"We collapse before temptation; but Jesus went to our stage of temptation and far beyond it and still did not collapse. It is true to say that He was tempted in all things as we are; but it is also true to say that never was man tempted as He was" -- William Barclay

I want you to be and remain _____.

- That Jesus provides _____ to God the Father.
- That Jesus continues to _____ with and for us.
- That Jesus endured all _____ so that we might know salvation.

[Sermon Note Answers: High, Priest, fulfills, role, intercede, prayers, forgive, Great, now, intercede, endured, beyond, thankful, access, pray, temptation]

Weekly Devotions

God speaks to us today by the Holy Spirit. Jesus said about the Holy Spirit,

“But the Advocate, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will *teach* you all things and will *remind* you of everything I have said to you.”

This week, begin your quiet time with God by having your Bible and some paper/notebook in which to write some observations from God on. Use the following instructions for your time with God:

1. Ask God to first quiet your heart and mind so that you are available to God.
2. Ask God to speak to your heart as you read the scripture for the day.
 - a. Write down the most meaningful part of the scripture you read today.
 - b. In one or two sentences, write down the impression you received as you read this particular part of the scripture.
 - c. Finally write down what you feel God wants you to learn or do as a result of what impressed you.

Scriptures to Read:

- **MONDAY– Hebrews 2:14-18**
- **TUESDAY – 2 Corinthians 5:11-21**
- **WEDNESDAY – Hebrews 10:19-22**
- **THURSDAY – Ephesians 3:7-14**
- **FRIDAY –Ephesians 2:4-10**
- **SATURDAY – 1 Corinthians 10:1-13**