

Sermon Quotes
June 25th, 2006
Study of Hebrews- Drawing Near Together

Review Points for Heb 10:1-18

1. The OT sacrificial system is just a copy and can never perfect those who draw near to God.
2. Annual sacrifices prove they're incapable of cleansing anyone, only remind us we need a Savior.
3. Reviews OT passages that prove Christ has fulfilled the Law by offering the perfect sacrifice of His own life.
4. Key verse for this section:

Hebrews 10:14 "For by a single offering he has perfected for all time those who are being sanctified."

Two Main Points:

1. Let us Draw Near to God.
2. Let us Draw Near...TOGETHER.

Isaiah 59:1-2 "Behold, the Lord's hand is not shortened, that it cannot save, or his ear dull, that it cannot hear; (2) but your iniquities (sins) have **made a separation** between you and your God..."

"See what mischief sin does. It hinders God's mercies from coming down upon us; it is a **partition wall** that separates between us and God."

—Mathew Henry

In the Introduction Lesson, here's what we say about CG's:

Care groups - All church members participate in small groups that regularly meet in homes. CG's are a primary context for members of SGC to apply God's word, build relationships and serve one other

In a SHORT LIST of things required for Church Membership you see:

"Active exploration of Care Groups until you find one in which you can fully participate."

John 15:17-20 "These things I command you, so that you will love one another. (18) If the world hates you, know that it has hated me before it hated you. (19) If you were of the world, the world would love you as its own; but because you are not of the world, but I chose you out of the world, therefore the world hates you. (20) Remember the word that I said to you: 'A servant is not greater than his master.' If they persecuted me, they will also persecute you..."