

## OmniGroup Lesson Notes

### Perfected Faith

#### Faith Works Part 3

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#### WELCOME

#### PRAYER

#### SHARE

**Read:** Hebrews 10:1-7

<sup>1</sup>For since the law has but a shadow of the good things to come instead of the true form of these realities, it can never, by the same sacrifices that are continually offered every year, make perfect those who draw near. <sup>2</sup>Otherwise, would they not have ceased to be offered, since the worshipers, having once been cleansed, would no longer have any consciousness of sins? <sup>3</sup>But in these sacrifices there is a reminder of sins every year. <sup>4</sup>For it is impossible for the blood of bulls and goats to take away sins. <sup>5</sup>Consequently, when Christ came into the world, he said, “Sacrifices and offerings you have not desired, but a body have you prepared for me; <sup>6</sup>in burnt offerings and sin offerings you have taken no pleasure. <sup>7</sup>Then I said, ‘Behold, I have come to do your will, O God, as it is written of me in the scroll of the book.’”

#### Discussion

1. What does it say about the effectiveness of Christ's sacrifice compared to the old sacrifices?
2. What does it mean for Christ to say, "Here I am... I have come to do your will, O God"?

**Read:** Hebrews 10:11-18

<sup>11</sup>And every priest stands daily at his service, offering repeatedly the same sacrifices, which can never take away sins. <sup>12</sup>But when Christ had offered for all time a single sacrifice for sins, he sat down at the right hand of God, <sup>13</sup>waiting from that time until his enemies should be made a footstool for his feet. <sup>14</sup>For by a single offering he has perfected for all time those who are being sanctified. <sup>15</sup>And the Holy Spirit also bears witness to us; for after saying, <sup>16</sup>“This is the covenant that I will make with them after those days, declares the Lord: I will put my laws on their hearts, and write them on their minds,” <sup>17</sup>then he adds, “I will remember their sins and their lawless deeds no more.” <sup>18</sup>Where there is forgiveness of these, there is no longer any offering for sin.

**Discussion**

1. What is the significance of God saying, "I will remember their sins no more"?
2. How does this passage enhance our understanding of the new covenant?

**Read:** Hebrews 10:23-25

<sup>23</sup> Let us hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who promised is faithful. <sup>24</sup> And let us consider how to stir up one another to love and good works, <sup>25</sup> not neglecting to meet together, as is the habit of some, but encouraging one another, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near.

**Discussion**

1. What does it mean to "hold unswervingly to the hope we profess"?
2. How can believers spur one another on toward love and good deeds?

**PRAYER REQUESTS / PRAISE REPORTS**

**CARE:** Follow-up during the week