

God Wants To Dwell With Us!

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Big Idea: Like Aaron and his sons... God prepares, appoints, and anoints followers of Jesus Christ as holy priests for God's glory and our good.

⁴² It shall be a regular burnt offering throughout your generations at the entrance of the tent of meeting before the Lord, where I will meet with you, to speak to you there. ⁴³ There I will meet with the people of Israel, and it shall be sanctified by my glory. ⁴⁴ I will consecrate the tent of meeting and the altar. Aaron also and his sons I will consecrate to serve me as priests. ⁴⁵ I will dwell among the people of Israel and will be their God. ⁴⁶ And they shall know that I am the Lord their God, who brought them out of the land of Egypt that I might dwell among them. I am the Lord their God."

Exodus 29:42-46

God prepares Aaron and his sons for the office of _____

- God provides _____

God was preparing His people for the _____

¹ 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. ² Otherwise, would they not have ceased to be offered, since the worshipers, having once been cleansed, would no longer have any consciousness of sins? ³ But in these sacrifices there is a reminder of sins every year. ⁴ For it is impossible for the blood of bulls and goats to take away sins."

Hebrews 10:1-4

⁹ then he added, "Behold, I have come to do your will." He does away with the first in order to establish the second. ¹⁰ And by that will we have been sanctified through the offering of the body of Jesus Christ once for all. ¹¹ And every priest stands daily at his service, offering repeatedly the same sacrifices, which can never take away sins. ¹² But when Christ had offered for all time a single sacrifice for sins, he sat down at the right hand of God, ¹³ waiting from that time until his enemies should be made a footstool for his feet. ¹⁴ For by a single offering he has perfected for all time those who are being sanctified."

Hebrews 10:9-14

God calls us to be _____ through _____

- Holiness through _____
- Offer _____ sacrifices
- Build up the _____ of Christ

⁵ you yourselves like living stones are being built up as a spiritual house, to be a holy priesthood, to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ."

1 Peter 2:5

Truth into Action:

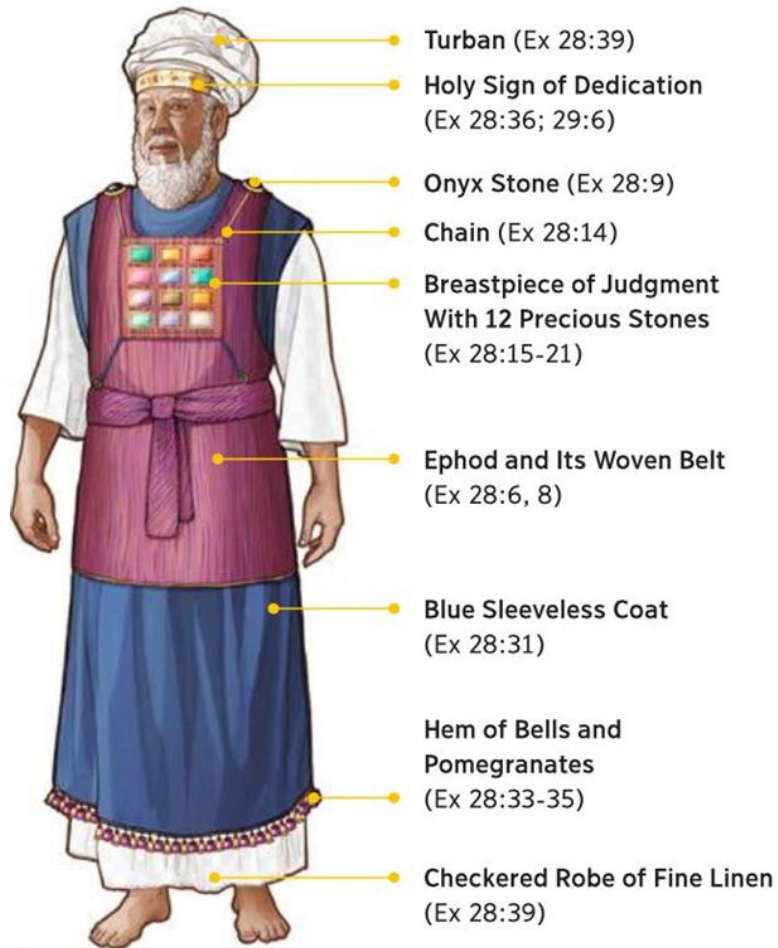
- Like the Tabernacle; God's purpose and design are intentional, specific, and it sets the stage for God's long game. Our Father in heaven wants to dwell with us and have us participate in His priesthood.
- Jesus Christ has always been the intended solution for the stain of sin. Through Him we are holy and granted access to God the Father.
- The Holy Spirit dwelling in us as living stones helps us to be a spiritual priesthood. We have the supreme honor of proclaiming the good news and worshipping Him for His glory and our good.

Pray first



Please understand we want to help you know Jesus personally and journey with you in taking fresh steps of obedience daily. We would love to pray with you and for you. Join us at the end of the service for prayer or send us your request on the Connect Card and we will lift them up throughout the week.

Table Talk



- Come up with as many garments as you can think of today that demonstrate meaning. How does this change the way you view, talk with, or act around them?
- Discuss the last 2 weeks about God's specific instructions and discuss the similarities of God's purpose behind the instruction.
- Read Romans 12:3-21.... In the context of the Holy Priesthood; discuss how you are gifted for spiritual worship to be used for the glory of God.